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TABLE 1.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the Regular Army, *by Arms*, on the first day of each month during 1889, and the average strength during the year.

Months.	ALL RANKS.													
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.			Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	*Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	Total.
			Horse	Field.	Mountain and Garrison.									
1st January -	1,293	17,851	3,566	13,958	17,604	6,764	5,691	135,404	2,560	3,140	732	66	2,401	211,030
1st February -	1,291	17,909	3,678	13,937	17,541	6,795	5,694	136,007	2,564	3,176	725	67	2,416	211,800
1st March -	1,294	17,834	3,747	13,912	17,460	6,865	5,703	134,871	2,558	3,159	731	67	2,443	210,644
1st April -	1,291	17,712	3,792	13,935	17,256	6,884	5,710	134,978	2,526	3,287	739	67	2,454	210,631
1st May -	1,288	17,612	3,801	14,336	17,173	6,905	5,700	133,950	2,503	3,271	738	67	2,403	209,747
1st June -	1,291	17,548	3,814	14,631	17,111	6,908	5,731	133,232	2,483	3,278	733	67	2,354	209,181
1st July -	1,288	17,569	3,791	14,488	17,134	6,890	5,733	133,112	2,518	3,311	739	67	2,338	208,978
1st August -	1,295	17,556	3,798	14,209	17,215	6,883	5,752	133,273	2,515	3,354	738	67	2,364	208,999
1st September -	1,305	17,621	3,780	14,210	17,277	6,923	5,778	133,825	2,523	3,416	739	67	2,400	209,864
1st October -	1,307	17,723	3,756	14,178	17,347	6,971	5,793	134,330	2,514	3,412	734	70	2,410	210,545
1st November -	1,310	17,764	3,833	14,094	17,329	6,978	5,831	134,878	2,504	3,406	729	70	2,416	211,142
1st December -	1,304	17,744	3,791	13,986	17,381	7,027	5,860	134,797	2,498	3,399	748	70	2,413	211,018
Average during 1889 - -	1,297	17,703	3,762	14,156	17,319	6,900	5,746	*134,388	2,522	3,301	736	68	2,400	210,298

* Including the Corps of Armourers which was brought on the regimental establishment on 1st April 1889.

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TABLE 2.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the Regular Army, *by Ranks*, on the first day of each month during the year 1889, and the average strength during the year.

Months.	ALL RANKS.					
	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.
1st January 1889	7,441	828	12,846	3,406	186,509	211,030
1st February „	7,424	832	12,792	3,380	187,372	211,800
1st March „	7,457	826	12,748	3,370	186,243	210,644
1st April „	7,536	826	13,026	3,388	185,855	210,631
1st May „	7,520	826	13,000	3,381	185,020	209,747
1st June „	7,499	817	13,023	3,374	184,468	209,181
1st July „	7,507	815	13,036	3,374	184,246	208,978
1st August „	7,491	821	13,053	3,401	184,233	208,999
1st September „	7,510	823	13,082	3,407	185,042	209,864
1st October „	7,492	821	13,107	3,414	185,711	210,545
1st November „	7,452	839	13,092	3,415	186,344	211,142
1st December „	7,524	838	13,088	3,390	186,178	211,018
Average during 1889 -	7,488	826	12,991	3,391	185,602	210,298

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TABLE 3.—AVERAGE STRENGTH of the Army in England, Scotland, Ireland, and Abroad, during 1889, distinguishing the number of Officers, Warrant Officers, and Men, and the different arms of the service.

	Cavalry.			Royal Artillery.			Royal Engineers.			Infantry, &c.			All Arms.			Total.
	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	
England and Wales -	375	31	8,235	533	48	14,882	439	62	4,160	1,465	272	44,205	2,812	413	71,482	74,707
Scotland - - -	24	2	447	13	2	285	9	2	77	99	18	2,911	145	24	3,720	3,889
Ireland - - - -	145	12	3,335	64	5	1,926	29	8	464	704	97	20,571	942	122	26,296	27,360
Total at Home - -	544	45	12,017	610	55	17,093	477	72	4,701	2,268	387	67,687	3,899	559	101,498	105,956
Colonies and Egypt -	28	1	635	193	20	4,232	121	6	1,230	781	110	23,648	1,123	137	29,745	31,005
India - - -	245	18	5,467	485	11	12,538	291	–	2	1,445	101	52,734	2,466	130	70,741	73,337
Total Abroad - -	273	19	6,102	678	31	16,770	412	6	1,232	2,226	211	76,382	3,589	267	100,486	104,342
General Average during 1889 -	817	64	18,119	1,288	86	33,863	889	78	5,933	4,494	598	144,069	7,488	826	201,984	210,298
	19,000			35,237			6,900			149,161			210,298			

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TABLE 4.—DISTRIBUTION of the Army, according to the latest returns received on the 1st January 1890, showing the Effectives and Establishment of each Arm.

	OFFICERS AND MEN.														
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.			Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	West India and Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	General Total.
			Horse.	Field.	Mount. and Garr.										
AT HOME:—															
England	1,302	7,298	1,638	6,119	7,511	4,768	5,099	33,355	—	2,505	452	110	37	1,508	71,702
Jersey	—	—	—	—	142	3	—	746	—	1	1	1	—	12	906
Guernsey and Alderney	—	—	—	—	181	3	—	584	—	—	1	1	—	9	779
Scotland	—	461	—	104	176	93	—	2,835	—	17	15	4	1	46	3,752
Ireland	—	3,409	267	825	621	503	708	19,565	—	616	85	35	3	340	26,977
Total	1,302	11,168	1,905	7,048	8,631	5,370	5,807	57,085	—	3,139	554	151	41	1,915	104,116
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Home from India	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	715	—	—	—	—	—	—	715
EGYPT (including Drafts on passage out)	—	176	—	—	156	114	—	3,407	—	102	84	4	—	92	4,135
IN THE COLONIES (including Drafts on passage out)	—	522	—	—	4,182	1,276	—	17,946	2,494	147	126	34	29	391	27,147
EAST INDIES (including Drafts on passage out):—															
Bengal	—	3,892	1,153	3,663	2,658	198	—	34,335	—	—	—	46	—	—	45,945
Bombay	—	559	347	1,858	801	36	—	9,288	—	—	—	22	—	—	12,911
Madras	—	1,341	364	1,329	437	40	—	7,389	—	—	—	17	—	—	10,967
Upper Burmah Force	—	—	—	—	105	—	—	2,947	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,052
	—	—	22	50	28	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	124
Total	—	5,792	1,886	6,900	4,079	298	—	53,959	—	—	—	85	—	—	72,999
General Total at Home and Abroad	1,302	17,658	3,791	13,948	17,357	7,058	5,807	133,909	2,494	3,388	764	274	70	2,398	210,218
Establishment	1,299	17,763	3,718	13,087	18,036	7,290	5,888	135,805	4,217	3,363	751	272	70	2,400	214,859

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TABLE 5.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH and ESTABLISHMENT of each Arm of the Service, in Rank and File, on the 1st January 1890, and the number supernumerary or required to complete the Establishment.

Corps.	Effectives.	Establishment.	Wanting to complete.	Supernumeraries.
Household Cavalry	1,035	1,029	—	6
Cavalry of the Line	15,226	15,319	93	—
Royal Horse Artillery	3,375	3,301	—	74
Royal Artillery — Field	12,531	12,536	5	—
Royal Artillery — Mountain and Garrison.	15,207	15,806	599	—
Royal Engineers	5,155	5,273	118	—
Foot Guards	5,141	5,220	79	—
Infantry of the Line	120,398	122,028	1,630	—
Colonial Corps	2,172	3,776	1,604	—
Army Service Corps	2,590	2,540	—	50
Ordnance Store Corps	570	555	—	15
Corps of Armourers	6	17	11	—
Medical Staff Corps	2,026	2,026	—	—
General Total	185,432	189,426	4,139	145
			3,994	—

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TABLE 6.—DISTRIBUTION of the Regiments and Depôts of Cavalry and Infantry, Batteries of Artillery, Companies of Engineers, &c., &c. on the 1st January 1890.

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Horse Artillery.		Royal Artillery. Field.		Royal Artillery. Mountain and Garrison.		Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.		West India and Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.
	Regiments.	Regiments.	Depôts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Troop Dvsns., Comps.	Battalions.	Battalions.	Regtl. Depôts.	Batteries or Companies.	Comps.	Comps.	Divisions.
AT HOME:—																	
England	3	10 (and 6 Tps.)	10	7	2	31	4	34	7	36	6	34	51	—	28	4	12
Jersey	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Guernsey and Alderney	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Scotland	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	2	10	—	—	—	1
Ireland	—	6	—	2	—	6	—	3	1	5	1	26	8	—	8	—	4
Total	3	17 (and 6 Tps.)	10	9	2	38	4	39	9	41	7	64	69	—	36	4	17
ON PASSAGE FROM MALTA: To Singapore	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE FROM MALTA: To Hong Kong	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE: From Home to India.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE: Home from India	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Egypt	—	(2 Tps.)	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	4*	—	—	1	—	—

* 1 Battalion embarked for India on 2nd January 1890.

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TABLE 6—*continued.*

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Horse Artillery.		Royal Artillery. Field.		Royal Artillery. Mount. and Garr.		Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.		West India and Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.
	Regiments.	Regiments.	Depôts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Troops, Dvsns., Comps.	Battalions.	Battalions.	Regtl. Depôts.	Batteries or Companies.	Comps.	Comps.	Divisions.
IN THE COLONIES:—																	
Gibraltar	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	4	—	4	—	—	—	—	—
Malta	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	2	—	6 (and 4 Cos.)	—	4	—	—	—
Cyprus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(4 Cos.)	—	—	—	—	—
West Africa Settlements	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—
Cape of Good Hope	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Natal	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
St. Helena	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—
Mauritius	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—		—	1	—	—	—
Ceylon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—
China and Hong Kong	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	1 (and 1 Co.)	—	2	—	—	—
Straits Settlements	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	(7 Cos.)	—	2	—	—	—
Dominion of Canada	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Bermuda	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
West Indies	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	11	—	—	—
Total	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	29	—	12	—	20	—	30	—	—	—
EAST INDIES:—																	
Bengal	—	6	—	7	—	22	—	23	—	1	—	32	—	—	—	—	—
Bombay	—	1	—	2	—	12	—	7	—	1	—	9	—	—	—	—	—
Madras	—	2	—		—	8	—	4	—	1	—	6 (and 7 Cos.)	—	—	—	—	—
Upper Burmah Force	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2 (and 9 Cos.)	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	9	—	11	—	42	—	35	—	3	—	51	—	—	—	—	—
General Total at Home and Abroad	3	28	10	20	2	80	4	106	9	57*	7	141	69	30†	37	4	17
				22		84		115									

* Exclusive of 2 Companies not formed on 1st January 1890.

† Exclusive of 10 Companies not formed on 1st January 1890.

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TABLE 7.—AVERAGE STRENGTH of the Army in England, Scotland, Ireland, and Abroad, during each year from 1870 to 1889, distinguishing the number of Officers and Men.

Year.	OFFICERS.						WARRANT OFFICERS.						NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN.						General Total.	Year.
	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Total at Home.	Abroad.	Total Officers.	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Total at Home.	Abroad.	Total Warrant Officers.	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Total at Home.	Abroad.	Total Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.		
1870	3,352	192	1,278	4,822	4,805	9,627							58,024	3,278	23,546	84,848	85,969	170,817	180,444	1870
1871	3,495	169	1,216	4,880	4,314	9,194							71,147	3,293	26,437	100,877	82,594	183,471	192,665	1871
1872	3,480	171	1,197	4,848	4,144	8,992							69,994	3,298	26,014	99,306	83,709	183,015	192,007	1872
1873	3,487	207	1,121	4,815	3,877	8,692							67,637	3,741	24,390	95,768	83,919	179,687	188,379	1873
1874	3,317	208	996	4,521	3,763	8,284							67,577	4,000	21,537	93,114	84,991	178,105	186,389	1874
1875	3,171	218	1,002	4,391	3,691	8,082							66,308	3,955	22,539	92,802	83,785	176,587	184,669	1875
1876	3,156	213	996	4,365	3,776	8,141							67,201	3,824	21,756	92,781	83,511	176,292	184,433	1876
1877	3,122	209	963	4,294	3,766	8,060							72,185	3,674	21,751	97,610	84,832	182,442	190,502	1877
1878	3,105	196	894	4,195	3,750	7,945							77,495	4,437	23,074	105,006	87,807	192,813	*200,758	1878
1879	2,881	163	791	3,835	4,007	7,842							62,633	3,854	17,893	84,380	99,068	183,448	191,290	1879
1880	2,989	186	869	4,044	3,773	7,817							64,308	3,820	19,715	87,843	93,326	181,169	188,986	1880
1881	2,722	180	1,052	3,954	3,658	7,612							58,909	3,610	25,473	87,992	93,194	181,186	188,798	1881
1882	2,568	146	1,104	3,818	3,518	7,336	291	18	93	402	209	611	58,466	3,445	28,164	90,075	91,207	181,282	189,229	1882
1883	2,550	135	1,029	3,714	3,479	7,193	290	16	91	397	214	611	59,281	3,185	23,494	85,960	88,207	174,167	181,971	1883
1884	2,473	134	971	3,578	3,519	7,097	293	16	94	403	220	623	59,399	3,250	23,364	86,013	89,271	175,284	183,004	1884
1885	2,262	130	856	3,248	3,827	7,075	302	19	83	404	267	671	59,919	3,788	24,220	†87,927	102,391	†190,318	198,064	1885
1886	2,546	136	874	3,556	3,662	7,218	333	19	89	441	241	682	66,574	3,578	23,908	94,060	101,845	195,905	203,805	1886
1887	2,720	142	896	3,758	3,513	7,271	342	19	88	449	233	682	73,124	3,626	25,810	102,560	99,061	201,621	209,574	1887
1888	2,733	143	897	3,773	3,549	7,322	342	20	90	452	230	682	72,135	3,568	26,985	102,688	100,413	203,101	211,105	1888
1889	2,812	145	942	3,899	3,589	7,488	413	24	122	559	267	826	71,482	3,720	26,296	101,498	100,486	201,984	210,298	1889

N.B.—Regiments on passage out and home are included with the numbers "ABROAD."

* The increase in the average strength of the Army during this year is due to the Mobilisation of the First Class Army and Militia Reserves during three months of the period.

† In addition to these a force of Militia of an average strength of 5,352 of all ranks was embodied during a portion of the year.

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TABLE 8.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH, according to the latest returns received, on the 1st January in each year from 1871 to 1890, showing the Number of each Arm.

Year.	ALL RANKS.															Year.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Gds.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	*Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	All Arms.	
1871	1,313	15,743	5,483	25,758	5,381	6,304	120,877	3,457	2,592		—	—	838	—	187,746	1871
1872	1,290	16,414	5,726	27,701	5,502	6,521	122,875	3,452	2,431		—	—	760	—	192,672	1872
1873	1,296	16,377	5,590	28,891	5,602	6,298	120,367	3,329	2,978		—	—	687	—	191,415	1873
1874	1,280	16,092	5,709	28,294	5,649	5,822	117,441	2,352	2,950		—	—	1,046	—	186,635	1874
1875	1,283	16,060	5,681	28,777	5,627	5,633	116,727	2,376	2,988		—	—	1,280	—	186,432	1875
1876	1,286	16,298	5,337	28,341	5,665	5,540	114,974	2,231	3,005		—	—	1,272	—	183,949	1876
1877	1,288	16,547	5,491	29,803	5,698	5,853	118,704	2,185	3,001		—	—	1,445	—	190,015	1877
1878	1,287	16,412	5,751	28,980	5,773	5,998	119,185	2,287	3,001		—	—	1,571	—	190,245	1878
1879	1,271	16,203	5,786	29,320	6,011	5,940	120,359	2,316	2,433	542	—	—	1,752	—	191,933	1879
1880	1,299	16,425	5,583	28,365	5,695	5,996	121,327	2,330	2,444	553	—	—	1,787	—	191,804	1880
1881	1,281	15,903	5,603	28,027	5,568	5,990	119,235	2,330	2,450	595	—	—	1,976	—	188,958	1881
1882	1,286	15,503	5,172	27,791	5,483	5,762	120,788	2,404	2,426	585	—	—	1,933	—	189,133	1882
1883	1,286	15,657	4,599	28,408	5,625	5,697	124,021	2,284	2,940	601	—	—	2,272	7	193,397	1883
1884	1,280	15,291	4,508	27,151	5,460	5,619	114,283	2,357	2,517	595	—	18	2,148	—	181,227	1884
1885	1,339	15,951	4,163	27,745	5,701	6,232	119,583	2,308	2,794	596	—	34	2,211	—	188,657	1885
1886	1,343	16,826	4,209	29,086	6,066	6,251	128,534	2,291	2,814	682	—	47	2,636	—	200,785	1886
1887	1,312	18,122	4,232	30,035	6,272	5,861	133,906	2,414	2,821	689	—	50	2,643	—	208,357	1887
1888	1,293	17,967	3,874	31,900	6,681	5,923	134,444	2,536	3,017	676	—	59	2,651	—	211,021	1888
1889	1,293	17,851	3,56	31,562	6,764	5,691	135,404	2,560	3,140	732	—	66	2,401	—	211,030	1889
1890	1,302	17,658	3,791	31,305	7,058	5,807	133,909	2,494	3,388	764	274	70	2,398	—	210,218	1890

* Brought on the Regimental Establishment as a Corps on 1st April 1889.

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TABLE 9.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH on the 1st January in each year from 1871 to 1890, showing the different ranks.

Years.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Serjeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	All Ranks.
1871	9,426	—	12,456	4,070	161,794	187,746
1872	9,052	—	12,632	4,003	166,985	192,672
1873	8,847	—	12,531	3,770	166,267	191,415
1874	8,298	—	12,567	3,691	162,079	186,635
1875	8,156	—	12,485	3,643	162,148	186,432
1876	8,093	—	12,578	3,638	159,640	183,949
1877	8,140	—	12,618	3,618	165,639	190,015
1878	7,913	—	12,420	3,546	166,366	190,245
1879	7,866	—	12,721	3,512	167,834	191,933
1880	7,862	—	12,548	3,485	167,909	191,804
1881	7,725	—	12,479	3,434	165,320	188,958
1882	7,391	—	12,777	3,310	165,655	189,133
1883	7,281	598	12,297	3,387	169,834	193,397
1884	7,074	624	12,173	3,327	158,029	181,227
1885	7,016	633	12,429	3,324	165,255	188,657
1886	7,168	688	12,706	3,358	176,865	200,785
1887	7,164	686	12,693	3,353	184,461	208,357
1888	7,278	683	12,810	3,411	186,839	211,021
1889	7,441	828	12,846	3,406	186,509	211,030
1890	7,538	832	13,056	3,360	185,432	210,218

TABLE 10.—EFFECTIVES, ESTABLISHMENTS, and number wanting to complete or supernumerary, in Rank and File, on the 1st January in each year from 1871 to 1890.

Years.	Effectives.	Establishments.	Wanting to complete.	Supernumerary.
1871	161,794	171,074	9,280	—
1872	166,985	170,029	3,044	—
1873	166,267	169,395	3,128	—
1874	162,079	161,031	—	1,048
1875	162,148	160,929	—	1,219
1876	159,640	160,537	897	—
1877	165,639	166,191	552	—
1878	166,366	164,877	—	1,489
1879	167,834	165,885	—	1,949
1880	167,909	164,115	—	3,794
1881	165,320	164,923	—	397
1882	165,655	163,401	—	2,254
1883	169,834	168,863	—	971
1884	158,029	165,386	7,357	—
1885	165,255	167,864	2,609	—
1886	176,865	180,130	3,265	—
1887	184,461	186,834	2,373	—
1888	186,839	186,180	—	659
1889	186,509	187,135	626	—
1890	185,432	189,426	3,994	—

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TABLE 11.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of each arm of the service reported during the year 1889.

—	NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN.															
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery. Field.	Royal Artillery. Mount. and Garr.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	West India and Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	*Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	All Arms.
Effectives on the 1st January 1889.	1,206	17,054	3,424	13,490	16,798	5,804	5,450	131,067	2,444	2,943	645	—	65	2,371	—	202,761
Increase.																
Recruits joined: Long Service	168	69	30	49	151	79	40	687	204	8	2	11	4	4	—	1,506
Recruits joined: Short Service	—	2,482	96	2,807	2,436	866	1,167	17,015	65	562	29	—	—	357	13	27,895
	168	2,551	126	2,856	2,587	945	1,207	17,702	269	570	31	11	4	361	13	29,401
Joined from desertion	8	161	22	125	107	20	51	999	9	17	3	—	—	6	—	1,526
From Army Reserve	1	4	1	2	2	1	2	10	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	27
Other causes	14	—	643	—	—	—	11	—	2	78	87	*274	—	22	—	1,133
Total Increase	191	2,716	792	2,981	2,696	966	1,271	18,711	283	665	122	285	4	389	13	32,087
Decrease.																
Dead	2	148	35	177	154	30	19	1,220	45	14	4	2	—	19	—	1,869
Discharged	154	1,183	236	994	1,248	293	447	7,200	249	151	33	9	—	145	—	12,342
Struck off as Deserters	22	540	53	333	313	72	136	2,734	17	21	—	—	—	20	—	4,261
To Army Reserve: On completion of service.	—	497	200	865	856	121	524	7,071	—	12	9	—	—	21	—	10,176
To Army Reserve: On conversion of service.	—	378	33	133	29	134	16	1,110	36	346	40	—	—	185	13	2,453
To Army Reserve: Relegated	—	17	1	—	3	—	2	39	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	63
To Army Reserve: On demobilisation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To Auxiliary Forces	2	25	8	22	85	29	10	467	5	—	—	—	—	1	—	654
Given up as deserters	—	4	1	20	6	10	3	49	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	86
Other causes	—	113	—	441	197	2	—	333	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,096
Total decrease	180	2,905	567	2,985	2,891	691	1,157	20,223	352	545	86	11	—	392	13	33,000
Nett Increase	11	—	225	—	—	275	114	—	—	120	36	274	4	—	—	—
Nett Decrease	—	189	—	4	195	—	—	1,512	69	—	—	—	—	3	—	913
Effectives on the 1st January 1890.	1,217	16,865	3,649	13,486	16,603	6,079	5,564	129,555	2,375	3,063	681	274	69	2,368	—	201,848

N.B.—The figures in this table represent the increase and decrease of the army as *reported in the returns received month by month* during 1889, and do not in every case correspond with the *actual number of Recruits and Casualties during the year* as shown in tables 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, and 20.

* Brought on the Regimental Establishment as a Corps, 1st April 1889.

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TABLE 12.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Army reported during each month of the year 1889.

—	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men—All Arms.												
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total since commencement of the year.
Effectives on the 1st of the month - - -	202,761	203,544	202,361	202,269	201,401	200,865	200,656	200,687	201,531	202,232	202,851	202,656	(1st Jan. 1890.) 201,848
Increase.													
Recruits joined { Long Service -	111	143	126	91	118	145	120	144	153	150	111	94	1,506
Recruits joined { Short Service -	3,085	2,454	2,433	2,053	2,187	1,810	1,950	2,398	2,221	2,620	2,663	2,021	27,895
	3,196	2,597	2,559	2,144	2,305	1,955	2,070	2,542	2,374	2,770	2,774	2,115	29,401
Joined from desertion -	149	127	117	133	119	111	145	134	113	145	122	111	1,526
From Army Reserve -	—	—	6	2	4	2	1	1	5	—	4	2	27
*Other causes - -	—	5	182	41	—	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	251
Total Increase - -	3,345	2,729	2,864	2,320	2,428	2,091	2,216	2,677	2,492	2,915	2,900	2,228	31,205
Decrease													
Dead - - -	142	112	118	133	177	189	183	142	178	214	153	128	1,869
Discharged - -	991	1,207	1,180	1,045	1,261	1,116	1,133	930	775	855	806	1,043	12,342
Struck off as deserters -	407	390	376	333	312	282	416	340	344	375	277	409	4,261
To Army Reserve { On completion of service -	755	1,916	794	1,333	802	501	202	221	281	544	1,585	1,242	10,176
To Army Reserve { On conversion of service -	172	214	411	244	279	150	188	111	114	229	198	143	2,453
To Army Reserve { Relegated - -	3	1	6	3	4	4	8	8	7	9	6	4	63
To Army Reserve { On demobilisation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To Auxiliary Forces -	46	61	60	94	73	50	39	34	46	57	44	50	654
Given up as deserters -	10	11	11	3	9	8	5	9	4	5	6	5	86
*Other causes - -	36	—	—	—	47	—	11	38	42	8	20	12	214
Total Decrease - -	2,562	3,912	2,956	3,188	2,964	2,300	2,185	1,833	1,791	2,296	3,095	3,036	32,118
Nett Increase - -	783	—	—	—	—	—	31	844	701	619	—	—	—
Nett Decrease - -	—	1,183	92	868	536	209	—	—	—	—	195	808	913

* Principally interchanges between the different branches of the Service.

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TABLE 13.—RECRUITS reported as served with notices and passed into the Service, casualties between being served with notices and final approval and nett result of recruiting in the UNITED KINGDOM during the year 1889; also the agencies by which the men were raised, the number obtained during each month in England, Scotland, and Ireland, respectively, and the total number obtained during the year in each District or Regimental District, for the Regiment and for the Army generally.

Months.	Persons served with Notices by Recruiters.	Rejected prior to Attestation.	Failed to come up for Attestation.	Other Causes.	Attested.	After Attestation.			Passed into the Service.	Recruiting Agencies.													Where raised.			
						Rejected.	Deserted.	Other Causes.		At Head Quarters of Regmts.	Regimental Districts.					Artillery Sub-Districts.	London, Dublin, and Liverpool Recruiting Districts.					Passed into the Service.	In England.	In Scotland.	In Ireland.	Passed into the Service.
											Depôts.	Staff of Reserve Forces.	Pensioners.	Line Parties.	Total.		District Staff.	Staff of Reserve Forces.	Pensioners.	Line Parties.	Total.					
January -	5,681	1,590	527	-	3,464	224	16	1	3,195	212	395	1,537	125	139	2,196	340	94	98	82	173	447	3,195	2,599	253	343	3,195
February -	4,552	1,428	523	1	2,600	137	17	-	2,467	149	303	1,196	75	106	1,680	263	83	78	77	137	375	2,467	2,027	188	252	2,467
March - -	4,958	1,521	633	-	2,804	142	3	-	2,645	118	433	1,144	108	141	1,826	276	80	83	71	191	425	2,645	2,184	181	280	2,645
April - -	4,082	1,217	534	-	2,331	191	22	1	2,128	150	267	946	71	99	1,383	228	88	53	50	176	367	2,128	1,769	195	164	2,128
May - -	4,192	1,212	521	-	2,459	156	42	-	2,252	215	278	936	85	112	1,411	263	61	66	48	188	363	2,252	1,851	209	192	2,252
June - -	3,286	1,006	416	-	1,864	88	7	-	1,781	116	288	743	62	94	1,187	206	69	11	58	134	272	1,781	1,493	160	128	1,781
July - -	4,214	1,362	554	-	2,298	127	21	-	2,136	135	324	881	83	148	1,436	174	62	82	61	186	391	2,136	1,732	193	211	2,136
August - -	4,493	1,331	520	-	2,642	165	14	-	2,476	125	338	1,028	127	111	1,604	211	77	68	94	297	536	2,476	2,051	225	200	2,476
September -	4,244	1,257	517	9	2,461	144	6	3	2,301	154	313	877	107	91	1,388	208	186	67	87	211	551	2,301	1,936	159	206	2,301
October -	5,133	1,423	674	-	3,036	229	16	-	2,795	158	313	1,210	95	189	1,807	214	180	100	91	245	616	2,795	2,435	161	199	2,795
November -	4,965	1,237	665	-	3,063	211	22	-	2,765	129	382	1,186	122	147	1,837	250	132	126	87	204	549	2,765	2,283	153	329	2,765
December -	4,036	1,096	576	-	2,364	180	14	-	2,176	79	327	919	65	129	1,440	258	102	64	63	170	399	2,176	1,818	160	198	2,176
General Total	53,676	15,680	6,660	10	31,326	1,994	200	5	29,117	1,740	3,961	12,603	1,125	1,506	19,195	2891	1,214	896	869	2,312	5,291	29,117	24,178	2,237	2,702	29,117

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TABLE 13 (*continued*).—RECRUITS raised in Recruiting Districts and Regimental and Sub-Districts during 1889.

Regimental District.	Head-quarters.	Passed into the Service.	
		Total for the Army	For the Regiment and included in foregoing column.
1	Glencorse	390	119
2	Guildford	368	242
3	Canterbury	316	174
4	Lancaster	203	83
5	Newcastle-on-Tyne.	114	48
6	Warwick	783	141
7	Hounslow	446	142
8	Warrington	184	141
9	Norwich	175	37
10	Lincoln	242	133
11	Exeter	260	110
12	Bury St. Edmunds.	233	166
13	Taunton	330	189
14	York	302	139
15	Beverley	128	56
16	Bedford	267	166
17	Leicester	505	180
18	Clonmel	333	251
19	Richmond	196	124
20	Bury	204	139
21	Ayr	82	64
22	Chester	161	65
23	Wrexham	146	127
24	Brecon	164	100
25	Berwick-on-Tweed.	86	60
26	Hamilton	461	104
27	Omagh	65	42
28	Bristol	1,114	195
29	Worcester	557	276
30	Burnley	247	140
31	Kingston-on-Thames.	275	157
32	Bodmin	69	39
33	Halifax	249	61
34	Carlisle	77	45
35	Chichester	489	221
37	Winchester	613	187
38	Lichfield	216	114
39	Dorchester	258	113
40	Warrington	186	153
41	Cardiff	246	153
42	Perth	226	96
43	Oxford	284	125
44	Warley	497	256
45	Derby	536	151
47	Preston	461	237
48	Northampton	296	149
49	Reading	239	154
50	Maidstone	229	179
51	Pontefract	250	138
53	Shrewsbury	238	174
57	Hounslow	361	163
60	Winchester	—	—
62	Devizes	266	199
63	Ashton-under Lyne.	853	234
64	Lichfield	401	194
65	Pontefract	266	155
68	Newcastle-on-Tyne.	197	75
71	Hamilton	459	156
72	Fort George	73	62
75	Aberdeen	141	85
79	Inverness	67	60
83	Belfast	354	144
87	Armagh	71	54
88	Galway	139	101
91	Stirling	101	65
94	Winchester	—	—
100	Birr	161	109
101	Tralee	157	88
102	Naas	132	65
	Total in Infantry Regimental Districts	19,195	8,864
Artillery Sub-Districts.	Sunderland	286	134
	Liverpool	40	29
	Great Yarmouth	516	274
	Devonport	170	98
	Newport, Mon.	199	108
	Gosport	221	144
	Dover	426	217
	Woowich	439	283
	Edinburgh	61	40
	Aberdeen	129	70
	Londonderry	246	104
	Fort Westmoreland, Cork Harbour.	158	81
	Total in Artillery Sub-Districts	2,891	1,582
Recruiting Districts	London	4,066	12
	Liverpool	474	61
	Dublin	751	65
	Total in Recruiting Districts	5,291	138
	At Head-quarters of Regiments	1,740	—
	General Total	29,117	10,584

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TABLE 14.—AGES of the RECRUITS who joined the Regular Army during 1889.

Corps.	Under 17 years.	17 and under 18 years.	18 and under 19 years.	19 and under 20 years.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 years and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry -	2	—	47	41	30	19	18	7	2	2	—	168
Cavalry of the Line -	74	7	832	635	493	251	133	72	43	12	—	2,552
Royal Artillery - -	227	11	2,524	1,102	593	437	270	191	194	20	—	5,569
Royal Engineers -	63	3	190	188	141	149	114	42	49	6	—	945
Foot Guards - -	35	1	426	292	172	107	78	48	41	7	—	1,207
Infantry of the Line -	692	222	9,514	3,291	1,565	965	707	385	295	61	5	17,702
Colonial Corps - -	14	—	24	53	45	33	34	21	31	10	4	269
Army Service Corps -	8	2	298	100	87	48	14	10	6	—	—	573
Ordnance Store Corps -	2	1	9	6	3	4	1	3	2	—	—	31
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—		—	4	2	4	1	—	—	11
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	—	4
Medical Staff Corps -	4	—	187	69	35	24	18	10	6	8	—	361
Army Post Office Corps -	—	—	2	2	1	1	6	1	—	—	—	13
Total - - -	1,121	247	14,053	5,779	3,165	2,042	1,395	795	670	129	9	29,405
	21,200				8,196							

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TABLE 15.—HEIGHTS, CHEST MEASUREMENTS, and WEIGHTS at date of enlistment of Recruits who joined the Regular Army during 1889.

Corps.	Heights.							Chest Measurements.						Weights.					
	Under 5 ft. 4 in.	5 ft. 4 in. to 5 ft. 5 in.	5 ft. 5 in. to 5 ft. 6 in.	5 ft. 6 in. to 5 ft. 7 in.	5 ft. 7 in. and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 33 inches.	33 inches and under 34 inches.	34 inches and under 35 inches.	35 inches and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 120 lbs.	120 lbs. and under 125 lbs.	125 lbs. and under 130 lbs.	130 lbs. and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1	—	2	—	165	—	168	2	—	7	159	—	168		1	—	166	—	168
Cavalry of the Line	66	9	55	696	1,726	—	2,552	102	258	1,379	813	—	2,552	142	325	641	1,444	—	2,552
Royal Artillery	1,121	617	605	1,133	2,003	—	5,569	314	1,348	2,192	1,715	—	5,569	863	847	979	2,880	—	5,569
Royal Engineers	43	125	133	259	385	—	945	60	94	506	285	—	945	96	74	192	583	—	945
Foot Guards	34	2	3	4	1,164	—	1,207	36	52	455	664	—	1,207	42	36	105	1,024	—	1,207
Infantry of the Line	1,664	5,293	5,179	2,546	3,017	3	17,702	1,871	7,290	5,821	2,717	3	17,702	4,910	4,176	3,549	5,064	3	17,702
Colonial Corps	12	18	43	66	126	4	269	26	58	103	78	4	269	20	13	32	200	4	269
Army Service Corps	189	300	56	13	15	—	573	28	142	369	34	—	573	289	181	49	54	—	573
Ordnance Store Corps	7	6	5	3	10	—	31	11	11	6	3	—	31	8	8	4	11	—	31
Corps of Armourers	1	2	—	4	4	—	11	1	2	3	5	—	11	3	5	2	1	—	11
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	1	1	2	—	4	—	—	1	3	—	4	—	—	—	4	—	4
Medical Staff Corps	165	106	59	13	18	—	361	11	216	101	33	—	361	108	113	60	80	—	361
Army Post Office Corps	—	3	4	1	5	—	13	—	7	6	—	—	13	3	4	2	4	—	13
Total	3,303	6,481	6,235	4,739	8,640	7	29,405	2,462	9,478	10,949	6,509	7	29,405	6,484	5,783	5,615	11,515	7	29,405

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TABLE 16.—NUMBER of RECRUITS joined at Home during the Year 1889, the Number of such Recruits who have become Non-effective within Three Months of the Date of Enlistment, and the Number serving at the expiration of Three Months from Date of Enlistment.

Month.	Number of Recruits joined.	Casualties within three months of Date of Enlistment.								Total serving on Army Engagement at the expiration of Three Months from Date of Enlistment.
		Dead.	Deserted.	Claimed Discharge under sec. 81, Army Act, 1881.	Discharged for Fraudulent Enlistment or for making false answers on attestation.	Discharged as Invalids.	Discharged as not likely to become efficient Soldiers.	Discharged for other causes.	Total.	
January - -	3,188	3	37	89	9	1	25	8	172	3,016
February - -	2,571	—	42	85	14	—	34	13	188	2,383
March - - -	2,521	3	40	71	11	1	19	14	159	2,362
April - - -	2,111	1	58	62	7	2	14	13	157	1,954
May - - -	2,272	—	63	82	9	1	15	14	184	2,088
June - -	1,889	1	49	66	11	1	19	7	154	1,735
July - - -	2,025	—	62	67	15	—	26	17	187	1,838
August - -	2,491	2	65	67	7	—	23	19	183	2,308
September - -	2,330	2	45	78	17	4	29	12	187	2,143
October - -	2,739	1	55	77	13	3	44	20	213	2,526
November - -	2,753	—	41	118	10	3	22	16	210	2,543
December - -	2,086	4	45	90	1	2	31	6	179	1,907
Total - -	28,976	17	602	952	124	18	301	159	2,173	26,803
Proportion per 1,000 of Recruits joined -	—	·59	20·77	32·85	4·28	·62	10·39	5·49	74·99	925·01

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Table 17.—Re-engagements and Extensions of Service during 1889.

Corps.	Re-engagements while serving.					Men enlisted for short service who extended their engagement.									
						To complete a period of 12 years.					To complete other periods of service.				
	After 9 years' service.	After 10 years' service.	After 11 years' service.	After 12 years' service.	Total.	Under 3 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	Total.	Under 3 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1	—	25	1	27	3	2	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—
Cavalry of the Line	7	13	128	19	167	2	4	3	278	287	—	—	1	3	4
Royal Artillery	34	38	282	46	400	2	183	142	625	952	—	—	—	—	—
Royal Engineers	8	12	95	8	123	—	1	5	161	167	32	—	—	—	32
Foot Guards	7	7	24	1	39	1	1	3	61	66	376	—	—	—	376
Infantry of the Line	122	130	717	66	1,035	60	88	111	1,380	1,639	—	—	1	38	39
Colonial Corps	—	—	15	2	17	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—
Army Service Corps	3	10	39	3	55	—	2	3	77	82	11	—	—	—	11
Ordnance Store Corps	1	4	4	—	9	—	—	—	31	31	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Armourers	—	1	6	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	19	11	20	—	50	—	—	8	62	70	84	—	—	—	84
Army Post Office Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Total	202	226	1,355	146	1,929	68	281	275	2,678	3,302	503	—	2	41	546

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TABLE 18.—NUMBER of MEN reported as DISCHARGED from each Arm of the Service during 1889, causes of discharge, and the number of Pensions granted.

Corps.	On completion of service.			As Invalids.	By indulgence.		By claim under the provisions of sec. 81 Army Act, 1881.	On conviction of making a false answer on attestation.	For misconduct.	Other causes.	Total.	Pensions granted.	
	After 21 years' service.	Prematurely, after 18 years' service. Royal Warrant for Pay, &c.	After 1st period.		Purchase.	Free.						Permanent.	Temporary.
Household Cavalry -	17	2	27	27	37	2	11	1	12	18	154	20	14
Cavalry of the Line -	105	48	143	279	236	31	177	21	104	39	1,183	191	91
Royal Artillery - -	393	99	458	397	258	114	211	38	371	139	2,478	604	162
Royal Engineers -	68	6	27	58	68	3	22	—	10	31	293	92	18
Foot Guards - -	43	15	27	151	62	8	44	9	50	38	447	72	24
Infantry of the Line -	901	394	955	1,876	894	173	561	145	1,045	256	7,200	1,774	714
Colonial Corps - -	13	1	40	63	83	27	3	1	12	6	249	19	24
Army Service Corps -	25	10	10	35	15	4	9	2	24	17	151	88	4
Ordnance Store Corps -	9	3	1	3	8	1	—	—	1	7	33	17	1
Corps of Armourers -	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	10	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	9	4	4	19	21	5	4	1	7	71	145	20	7
Total - -	1,590	584	1,692	2,908	1,682	368	1,042	218	1,636	622	12,342	2,907	1,059

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TABLE 19.—AGES of the men Discharged from each Arm of the Service during 1889.

Corps.	Under 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	Upward of 40 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry -	17	7	7	12	11	3	9	12	5	9	4	10	4	8	4	2	7	1	2	1	3	16	—	154
Cavalry of the Line -	150	112	110	104	84	75	55	49	45	36	26	55	45	19	21	14	12	18	18	19	49	58	9	1,183
Royal Artillery - -	364	127	124	118	107	115	82	93	68	53	39	96	174	97	88	56	56	75	49	66	97	334	—	2,478
Royal Engineers -	24	18	24	23	22	24	24	8	8	5	3	6	7	7	5	3	2	6	1	9	14	50	—	293
Foot Guards - -	65	33	35	32	30	38	28	25	16	16	10	13	20	12	7	3	1	2	3	7	17	34	—	447
Infantry of the Line -	1107	555	460	441	467	392	316	328	213	173	187	288	248	218	145	95	117	150	162	183	323	608	24	7,200
Colonial Corps - -	9	4	10	9	5	5	9	5	15	23	19	36	33	23	18	4	5	3	2	—	3	9	—	249
Army Service Corps -	31	10	12	8	9	8	4	5	3	1	3	2	5	4	1	—	5	2	6	10	12	10	—	151
Ordnance Store Corps -	3	1	1	1	4	—	—	1	1	—	1	2	—	2	1	—	—	1	1	4	2	10	—	36
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	3	1	—	—	9
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	38	13	10	9	9	10	8	5	5	1	4	5	2	1	2	2	2	4	1	2	1	10	1	145
Total - -	1808	880	793	757	748	670	535	531	379	317	296	513	538	391	292	179	207	264	248	304	522	1,139	34	12,345
		5,906										3,458												

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TABLE 20.—NUMBER of DESERTIONS from each Arm of the Service during 1889, showing the services of the men, the number who rejoined, and the nett loss from desertion.

Corps.	Under 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 9 months.	9 to 12 months.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	Over 3 years.	Service not stated.	Total Deserted.	Proportion of Desertions per 1,000 Men.	Rejoined from Desertion.	Number of Deserters who having fraudulently enlisted have been held to serve in corps in which they have enlisted.	Nett loss from Desertion.	Proportion of nett loss from Desertion per 1,000 Men.
Household Cavalry -	3	2	—	2	7	3	2	10	—	22	18	8	—	14	12
Cavalry of the Line -	139	83	68	32	322	65	64	90	—	541	32	161	—	380	22
Royal Artillery -	186	114	74	43	417	83	69	130	—	699	21	252	—	447	13
Royal Engineers -	6	8	6	2	22	17	16	17	—	72	12	20	—	52	9
Foot Guards - -	23	14	7	14	58	17	15	46	—	136	25	51	—	85	15
Infantry of the Line -	456	248	246	222	1,172	624	372	548	18	2,734	21	999	—	1,735	13
Colonial Corps -	—	—	1	2	3	2	6	6	—	17	7	9	—	8	3
Army Service Corps -	5	1	3	1	10	7	3	1	—	21	7	17	—	4	1
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	5	—	3	1	9	2	3	6	—	20	8	6	—	14	6
Total -	823	470	408	319	2,020	820	550	854	18	4,262	21	1,526	200	2,536	13

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TABLE 21.—TRANSFERS from the Regular Army to the First Class Army Reserve during 1889.

Services.	Transfers from											
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Royal Malta Artillery.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	Total.
Under 3 years -	—	—	72	50	—	19	—	—	—	—	13	154
After 3 years -	—	2	55	47	340	16	—	241	—	114	—	815
After 4 years -	—	7	19	22	1	44	—	57	9	24	—	183
After 5 years -	—	234	14	10	9	557	28	26	19	25	—	922
After 6 years -	—	101	16	1	6	504	3	13	5	16	—	665
After 7 years -	—	412	1,148	109	183	5,377	4	15	12	20	—	7,280
After 8 years -	—	77	645	15	—	290	—	3	2	4	—	1,036
After 9 years -	—	11	31	—	—	48	—	2	—	3	—	95
After 10 years -	—	15	146	1	—	1,317	—	—	1	—	—	1,480
After 11 years -	—	16	4	—	1	15	1	1	1	—	—	39
After 12 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 13 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 14 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 15 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 16 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 17 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not reported -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL -	—	875	2,150	255	540	8,187	36	358	49	206	13	12,669
On completion of Short Service with the Colours	—	497	1,965	121	524	7,077	—	12	9	21	—	10,226
On conversion of Army Service -	—	378	185	134	16	1,110	36	346	40	185	13	2,443
Total as above -	—	875	2,150	255	540	8,187	36	358	49	206	13	12,669
Relegated - -	—	17	4	—	2	33	—	—	—	1	—	57
Re-transferred on demobilisation of Army Reserve -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total transferred to Army Reserve	-	892	2,154	255	542	8,220	36	358	49	207	13	12,726

N.B.—See note at page 11.

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TABLE 22.

INCREASE and DECREASE of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men reported during each year from 1870 to 1889 inclusive.

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TABLE 22.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Non-Commissioned Officer s

Year.	Effectives on 1st January in each year.	Increase.						*Number of the Recruits joined who were proved to have fraudulently enlisted.*	*Number of Deserters who were held to serve in the corps in which they fraudulently enlisted, and who are not included in column "From Desertion."*
		Recruits joined.	From Desertion.	From Army Reserve.	From Militia Reserve.	Other causes.	Total Increase.		
1870	174,198	24,594	1,088	—	—	—	25,682	—	—
1871	178,320	23,568	1,498	—	—	—	25,066	—	—
1872	183,620	17,791	1,855	20	—	—	19,666	—	—
1873	182,568	17,194	1,785	19	—	—	18,998	—	—
1874	178,337	20,640	2,052	27	—	—	22,719	—	—
1875	178,276	18,494	1,944	11	—	—	20,449	—	—
1876	175,856	29,370	2,063	21	—	—	31,454	—	—
1887	181,875	28,728	2,437	13	—	—	31,178	—	—
1878	182,332	28,325	2,751	13,125	21,730	—	65,931	—	—
1879	184,067	25,927	2,256	905	—	—	29,088	—	—
1880	183,942	25,622	1,557	3	—	—	27,182	—	—
1881	181,233	26,258	1,353	900	—	—	28,511	*312*	*48*
1882	181,742	23,802	1,297	10,840	—	—	35,939	*170*	*234*
1883	185,518	33,096	1,266	39	—	—	34,401	*170*	*182*
1884	173,529	35,653	1,568	1,415	—	—	38,636	*168*	*235*
1885	181,008	39,971	1,885	4,685	—	—	46,541	*251*	*298*
1886	192,929	39,409	1,864	31	—	—	41,304	*304*	*350*
1887	200,507	31,225	*2,061	29	—	—	33,315	*410*	**1,826*
1888	203,060	25,153	1,737	29	—	—	26,919	*133*	*271*
1889	202,761	29,401	1,526	27	—	37	30,991	*154*	*200*

* Including men who received the Queen's pardon under General Order 102 of 1887.

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and Men reported during each year from 1870 to 1889 inclusive.

Year.	Decrease.										Nett Increase.	Nett Decrease.	Effectives on 31st December in each year.
	Dead.	Discharged.	Deserted.	To Army Reserve.	To Militia Reserve.	To Auxiliary Forces.	* Given up as Deserters.	Struck off on Conviction of Fraudulent Enlistment.	Other causes.	Total Decrease.			
1870	2,508	15,720	3,171	—	—	—	—	—	161	21,560	4,122	—	178,320
1871	2,220	10,162	4,553	2,237	—	—	—	—	594	19,766	5,300	—	183,620
1872	2,546	11,553	5,861	17	—	—	343	—	398	20,718	—	1,052	182,568
1873	2,046	13,513	5,702	1,030	—	—	435	—	503	23,229	—	4,231	178,337
1874	2,011	13,255	5,572	744	—	—	588	—	610	22,780	—	61	178,276
1875	2,161	14,235	4,382	712	—	—	549	—	830	22,869	—	2,420	175,856
1876	1,998	16,209	4,878	712	—	—	663	—	975	25,435	6,019	—	181,875
1877	1,708	15,723	5,058	6,039	—	—	830	763	600	30,721	457	—	182,332
1878	2,171	15,198	5,406	17,697	21,637	—	727	804	556	64,196	1,735	—	184,067
1879	4,069	15,206	4,067	4,120	—	—	627	588	536	29,213	—	125	183,942
1880	3,186	15,866	4,823	4,936	—	—	243	168	659	29,891	—	2,709	181,233
1881	2,570	14,209	4,394	6,108	—	253	141	†—	327	28,002	509	—	181,742
1882	2,140	15,612	4,143	8,370	—	675	130	—	‡1,093	32,163	3,776	—	185,518
1883	1,707	16,072	3,707	23,528 §	—	788	109	—	479	46,390	—	11,989	173,529
1884	1,521	12,939	4,478	11,199 ‖	—	736	154	—	130	31,157	7,479	—	181,008
1885	2,588	12,726	5,147	12,775	—	636	191	—	557	34,620	11,921	—	192,929
1886	2,721	13,311	5,402	11,210	—	587	240	—	255	33,726	7,578	—	200,507
1887	1,946	11,905	5,355	10,701	—	580	143	—	132	30,762	2,553	—	203,060
1888	1,852	11,894	4,291	8,409	—	579	90	—	103	27,218	—	299	202,761
1889	1,869	12,342	4,261	12,692	—	654	86	—	—	31,904	—	913	201,848

* Prior to 1872 the men who were "Given up as Deserters" to other corps are included in the column headed "Other causes."

† Included with discharged.

‡ Including 609 Warrant Officers, not included with Non-Commissioned Officers and men.

§ Including 8,543 on demobilisation.

‖ Including 2,578 on demobilisation.

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TABLE 23.—NUMBER of RECRUITS who have joined the Service and short

Corps.	1875.		1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.	
	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.
Household Cavalry	127	—	158	—	174	—	147	—	168	—	128	—	145	—
Cavalry of the Line	823	1,753	645	2,100	567	1,920	376	2,563	258	2,323	180	1,717	117	1,271
Royal Artillery -	1,699	1,469	2,167	3,747	1,039	2,472	704	3,304	487	2,341	563	3,196	486	3,377
Royal Engineers -	47	457	37	602	29	653	49	1,195	45	223	40	402	34	368
Foot Guards -	357	353	288	1,005	161	1,064	68	862	49	871	58	898	55	563
Infantry of the Line	2,043	8,977	1,847	16,222	1,621	18,266	910	17,238	606	17,787	681	16,900	615	18,560
Colonial Corps -	108	9	178	14	217	45	172	14	186	5	199	10	208	80
Army Service Corps	132	126	165	177	174	215	80	241	155	97	4	222	15	159
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	47	27	41	21	58	16	36
*Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	13	1	16	2	109	—	52	288	7	251	6	339	4	149
Army Post Office Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
General Total -	5,349	13,145	5,501	23,869	4,091	24,637	2,573	25,752	1,988	23,039	1,880	23,742	1,695	24,563
	18,494		29,370		28,728		28,325		25,027		25,622		26,258	

N B.—General Order 34 of 1874 defined the proportions in which Recruits for long and short service respectively were permitted to be enlisted for the several arms of the service.

Under General Orders 51 of 1874 and 53 of 1875 recruits for the Royal Artillery and Foot Guards were permitted to be enlisted for long and short service indiscriminately.

Under Army Circular 1874 (Cl. 67) short service in the Cavalry, Artillery and Engineers consisted of 8 years in the ranks and 4 years with the reserve, and in the Infantry and Army Service Corps of 6 years in the ranks and 6 years with the reserve.

* Brought on the Regimental Establishment as a Corps on 1st April 1889.

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since 1874, showing those who enlisted in each Arm for long service respectively.

1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.		1888.		1889.	
Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.
136	—	150	—	214	—	197	—	156	—	157	—	129	—	168	—
66	1,991	61	2,975	61	3,616	54	3,465	72	4,660	65	2,704	75	2,374	69	2,482
161	3,822	255	3,767	307	4,819	191	5,563	206	5,721	199	4,775	255	4,024	230	5,339
37	476	38	527	61	837	87	1,051	78	846	52	953	78	623	79	866
34	592	74	1,653	42	1,670	28	1,076	40	992	45	1,221	40	784	40	1,167
593	14,686	752	21,712	751	21,613	640	26,071	712	24,262	722	18,904	683	15,159	687	17,015
200	—	377	—	248	—	306	16	300	47	259	144	185	92	204	65
14	545	14	308	14	732	19	465	14	614	24	560	18	375	8	562
1	66	2	68	6	70	5	139	2	54	1	49	9	17	2	20
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—
—	—	13	—	16	—	15	—	3	—	10	—	9	—	4	—
10	272	6	342	9	559	3	578	15	519	9	369	3	147	4	357
—	100	—	2	—	8	—	2	—	6	—	3	—	74	—	13
1,252	22,550	1,742	31,354	1,729	33,924	1,545	38,426	1,688	37,721	1,543	29,6[illegible]2	1,484	23,669	1,506	27,895
23,802		33,096		35,653		39,971		39,409		31,225		25,153		29,401	

Under General Order 18 of 1878 all enlistments for Infantry of the Line, except men specially enlisted and boys under 16 years age, were to be for *short service*.

Under General Order 80 of 1881 short service in the Cavalry, Artillery, Engineers, Foot Guards, Infantry of the Line, and Departmental Corps, consists of 7 years in the ranks and 5 years with the reserve.

Under General Order 90 of 1883 short service in the Foot Guards consists of 3 years in the ranks and 9 years with the reserve.

Under General Order 66 of 1887 short service in the Royal Engineers consists of 7 years in the ranks and 5 years in the reserve; or 3 years in the ranks and 9 years in the reserve; and in the Army Service Corps, and Medical Staff Corps, of 3 years in the ranks and 9 years in the reserve.

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TABLE 24.—NUMBER of RECRUITS enlisted, attested, finally approved, and sent to regiments, showing the number rejected, deserted, &c., and the nett result of recruiting, in the UNITED KINGDOM, during each year from 1870 to 1889.

Year.	Enlisted.	After Enlistment.				Attested.	After Attestation.			Finally approved.	After final Approval.			Sent to or joined regiments.	Year.
		Primarily rejected.	Absconded.	Paid Smart.	Other causes.		Rejected.	Deserted.	Other causes.		Deserted.	Purchased discharge.	Other causes.		
1870	34,547	7,125	501	2,370	84	24,485	1,153	206	43	23,081	42	—	6	23,031	1870
1871	35,185	8,019	592	2,911	84	23,586	1,218	271	39	22,049	94	16	7	21,927	1871
1872	28,426	6,341	566	2,470	68	18,976	1,038	256	51	17,650	119	15	12	17,507	1872
1873	25,634	5,387	519	1,990	84	17,661	678	304	78	16,602	—	—	—	16,602	1873
1874	30,356	5,415	677	2,588	159	21,517	793	323	89	20,312	—	—	—	20,312	1874
1875	27,469	4,700	659	2,468	125	19,517	677	361	104	18,375	—	—	—	18,375	1875
1876	44,713	8,317	1,064	4,143	233	30,985	1,150	562	157	29,116	—	—	—	29,116	1876
1877	43,991	8,650	1,035	3,739	204	30,334	1,322	605	127	28,280	—	—	—	28,280	1877
1878	42,734	8,441	903	3,248	217	29,925	1,115	525	176	28,109	—	—	—	28,109	1878
1879	—	—	—	—	—	27,108*	1,061	345	108	25,594	—	—	—	25,594	1879
	Persons served with Notices by Recruiters.	Rejected prior to Attestation.	Failed to come up for Attestation.												
1880	44,298	10,572	6,490		99	27,137	1,149	343	97	25,535	—	—	—	25,535	1880
1881	45,360	10,394	7,611		162	27,193	1,288	336	49	25,499	—	—	—	25,499	1881
1882	45,385	11,271	8,841		164	25,109	1,216	279	70	23,555	—	—	—	23,555	1882
1883	61,804	15,389	11,285		343	34,787	1,523	283	48	32,924	—	—	—	32,924	1883
1884	65,300	17,050	9,503		539	38,209	2,093	278	71	35,754	—	—	—	35,754	1884
1885	68,536	17,521	8,660		66	42,289	2,343	344	74	39,552	—	—	—	39,552	1885
1886	71,786	20,183	9,725		79	41,799	2,410	370	48	38,953	—	—	—	38,953	1886
1887	58,645	18,001	7,463		122	33,059	2,003	279	62	30,751	—	—	—	30,751	1887
1888	47,503	14,973	5,918		20	26,592	1,616	214	40	24,726	—	—	—	24,726	1888
1889	53,676	15,680	6,660		10	31,326	1,994	200	5	29,117	—	—	—	29,117	1889

* By section 77, Army Discipline and Regulation Act, 1879, it is provided that Enlistment and Attestation are identical.

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TABLE 24—*continued.*

Year.	Recruiting Agencies.								Where raised.				
	Head Quarter Recruits.	District and Sub-District Recruits.				Artillery Sub-Districts.	Cavalry Districts.	Total.	In England.	In Scotland.	In Ireland.	Total.	Year.
		Brigade and Regimental Depôts.	Staff of Reserve Forces.	Pensioners.	Line Parties.								
1870	8,154	—	—	7,210	7,667	—	—	23,031	19,733	1,261	2,037	23,031	1870
1871	6,879	—	—	7,947	7,101	—	—	21,927	18,015	1,547	2,365	21,927	1871
1872	5,859	—	—	6,274	5,374	—	—	17,507	14,525	1,096	1,886	17,507	1872
1873*	4,862	2,216	1,130	4,603	3,566	225	—	16,602	13,431	1,057	2,114	16,602	1873
1874	5,404	4,236	2,451	4,477	3,183	561	—	20,312	15,676	1,789	2,847	20,312	1874
1875	4,589	4,593†	1,970	4,060	2,565	579	19	18,375	14,285	1,540	2,550	18,375	1875
1876	6,274	7,745†	4,469	6,470	3,237	920	1	29,116	23,228	2,267	3,621	29,116	1876
1877	5,506	7,054†	5,551	6,481	3,044	644	—	28,280	22,929	2,047	3,304	28,280	1877
1878	5,786	7,162†	5,126	6,575	2,960	500	—	28,109	22,134	2,545	3,430	28,109	1878
1879	4,941	6,753†	4,929	5,999	2,825	147	—	25,594	19,994	2,185	3,415	25,594	1879
1880	5,469	6,656†	5,715	5,088	2,310	297	—	25,535	19,810	1,894	3,831	25,535	1880
1881	4,387	6,653†	7,569	4,160	2,087	643	—	25,499	20,683	1,876	2,940	25,499	1881
1882	3,216	5,347†	8,181	2,869	2,832	1,110	—	23,555	18,840	2,250	2,465	23,555	1882
1883	2,650	5,152†	13,829	3,277	5,093	2,923	—	32,924	27,025	2,920	2,979	32,924	1883
1884	2,847	6,188†	15,788	2,762	4,452	3,717	—	35,754	28,203	3,668	3,883	35,754	1884
1885	2,895	8,296†	17,724	2,651	3,697	4,289	—	39,552	31,149	4,112	4,291	39,552	1885
1886	2,657	7,574†	18,252	2,531	3,904	4,035	—	38,953	30,764	3,780	4,409	38,953	1886
1887	2,559	6,609†	13,576	1,934	2,966	3,107	—	30,751	23,958	3,196	3,597	30,751	1887
1888	1,684	4,576†	11,792	1,643	2,712	2,319	—	24,726	19,572	2,360	2,794	24,726	1888
1889	1,740	5,175†	13,499	1,994	3,818	2,891	—	29,117	24,178	2,237	2,702	29,117	1889

* The new system for the localisation of the forces under which the country was divided for recruiting purposes into 66 Sub-Districts came into operation on the 1st April 1873, from which date the old Recruiting Districts (with the exception of London and Dublin) were abolished.

† Including the Staff of the London and Dublin, and since 1884, the Liverpool, Recruiting Districts.

N.B.—Recruits raised for the Colonial Corps and others enlisted *abroad* are not included in this table; nor the men raised for the Household Cavalry and Foot Guards prior to 1872.

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TABLE 25.—AGES of the RECRUITS who joined the Regular Army in each Year from 1874 to 1889.

Year.	Under 17 years.	17 and under 18 years.	18 and under 19 years.	19 and under 20 years.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 years and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
1874	913	290	5,782	5,000	2,854	2,044	1,455	1,173	1,046	95	1	20,653
1875	948	210	5,173	4,260	2,497	1,763	1,389	1,092	1,032	146	—	18,510
1876	965	234	7,620	6,378	3,782	2,947	2,296	1,817	1,670	1,659	—	29,368
1877	868	190	7,375	5,961	4,102	2,962	2,383	2,049	2,022	773	—	28,685
1878	976	195	6,822	5,474	4,015	3,210	2,586	2,125	2,294	338	—	28,035
1879	932	135	5,359	4,913	4,282	2,881	2,493	2,190	2,348	363	—	25,896
1880	1,021	156	6,611	5,510	3,667	2,525	2,081	1,785	1,968	289	—	25,613
1881	933	77	3,901	9,508	3,713	2,426	1,959	1,650	1,764	249	—	26,180
1882	999	28	199	11,992	3,805	2,158	1,683	1,240	1,323	271	114	23,812
1883	1,193	59	7,988	11,573	4,491	2,743	1,870	1,481	1,459	238	23	33,118
1884	1,252	65	10,950	10,219	4,060	2,861	2,199	1,828	1,852	382	—	35,668
1885	1,060	39	13,644	10,422	4,345	3,133	2,458	1,919	2,228	682	43	39,973
1886	1,170	33	14,626	9,224	4,337	3,153	2,391	1,997	2,071	339	68	39,409
1887	1,092	74	12,575	6,307	3,334	2,608	2,050	1,536	1,394	259	5	31,234
1888	1,080	135	10,617	5,301	2,805	1,998	1,393	952	692	153	30	25,156
1889	1,121	247	14,053	5,779	3,165	2,042	1,395	795	670	129	9	29,405

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TABLE 26.—RE-ENGAGEMENTS under the Army Service Act of 1847, and Extensions of Service since the passing of the Army Enlistment Act of 1870.

Period.	Before completing First Term.								On completing first term.	After discharge.‡	Total.	Men enlisted for short service who extended their engagement.		Year.
	After 6 years' service.	After 7 years' service.	After 8 years' service.	After 9 years' service.	After 10 years' service.	After 11 years' service.	Service not stated.	Total.				To complete a period of 12 years.	To complete periods of less than 12 years.	
1861–2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,093	192	2,285	—	—	1861–2
1862–3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,613	137	2,750	—	—	1862–3
1863–4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,748	118	2,866	—	—	1863–4
1864–5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,742	228	3,970	—	—	1864–5
1865–6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5,637	483	6,120	—	—	1865–6
1866–7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,184	458	3,642	—	—	1866–7
1867–8*	1,346	3,012	6,223	7,911	1,270	1,056	—	20,818	10,026	632	31,476	—	—	1867–8
1868–9	766	1,014	3,850	3,423	678	571	—	10,302	5,862	665	16,829	—	—	1868–9
1869–70	1,072	766	2,440	1,469	324	381	—	6,452	3,450	100	10,002	—	—	1869–70
1870–1†	1,405	861	1,130	590	181	150	—	4,317	1,836	136	6,289	—	—	1870–1
April to December 1871	1,266	476	496	129	45	75	—	2,487	966	6	3,459	—	—	1871
1872	1,096	834	527	235	109	151	—	2,952		3	2,955	—	—	1872
1873	1,265	746	597	362	131	182	8	3,291		6	3,297	—	—	1873
1874	438	597	824	624	177	212	7	2,879		13	2,892	6	—	1874
1875	109	183	1,649	685	245	202	—	3,073	Included in preceding column.	55	3,128	135	—	1875
1876	55	71	2,931	932	253	265	—	4,507		111	4,618	375	—	1876
1877	34	48	1,869	863	280	302	—	3,396		69	3,465	849	—	1877
1878	19	42	1,472	596	447	450	—	3,026		14	3,040	871	—	1878
1879	14	17	257	491	300	792	—	1,871		8	1,879	767	179	1879
1880	—	—	25	1,448	420	844	—	2,737		—	2,737	649	188	1880
1881	—	—	3	316	513	920	—	1,752		—	1,752	479	265	1881
1882	—	3	1	97	111	1,720	—	1,932		—	1,932	672	442	1882
1883	—	—	6	86	115	1,381	—	1,588	—	—	1,588	§‖2,455	‖6,048	1883
1884	—	—	—	88	142	1,284	—	1,514	—	—	1,514	1,836	2,272	1884
1885	—	—	—	98	109	1,357	—	1,564	—	—	1,564	2,308	1,845	1885
1886	—	—	—	106	142	1,344	—	1,592	—	—	1,592	2,508	598	1886
1887	—	—	—	201	196	1,294	—	1,691	—	—	1,691	2,346	483	1887
1888	—	—	—	313	351	1,802	—	2,466	—	—	2,466	2,805	507	1888
1889	—	—	—	202	226	1,501	—	1,929	—	—	1,929	3,302	546	1889

* By the Army Enlistment Act of 1867, men were permitted to re-engage after completing two-thirds of their first term of service, and by Royal Warrant of 29th June 1867 the soldiers' pay was increased by twopence per diem, with a further penny a day on re-engagement.

† By the Army Enlistment Act of 1870, re-engagements were restricted to men in the last year of their first period of service, and by Royal Warrant dated 2nd June 1870 the extra pay of a penny a day on re-engagement was discontinued, and the scale of good-conduct pay revised. These restrictions do not apply to men enlisted under the Acts of 1847 and 1867. See Army Circular, 1872 (clause 111).

‡ By Royal Warrant of 27th February 1869, re-engagements after discharge were ordered to be discontinued. This restriction was withdrawn by Army Circular, 1875 (clause 109), and again revived by Army Circular, 1877 (clause 58).

§ A gratuity authorised to certain classes of men to extend their service (Army Circular, 1883, clause 111).

‖ A gratuity authorised to certain classes of men in India to extend their service (Indian Army Circular, 30 July 1883).

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TABLE 27.—NUMBER of MEN DISCHARGED during each year from 1870 to 1889, causes of discharge, and number of PENSIONS granted, whether permanent or temporary.

Year.	On completion of service.			As invalids.	By indulgence.		By Claim under the provisions of sec. 78 of Army Discipline and Regulation Act, 1879, and sec. 81 Army Act, 1881.	For misconduct.	For other causes.	Total.	Pensions granted.		Year.
	After 21 years' service.	After 18 years' service to Pension.	After first period.		Purchase.	Free.					Permanent.	Temporary.	
1870	2,570			4,625	1,493	1,579	—	1,616	3,837	15,720	3,070	4,263	1870
1871	1,498			3,697	2,109	1,541	—	1,032	285	10,162	2,149	2,549	1871
1872	1,177	71	1,080	3,868	2,839	851	—	1,683	126	11,695	2,196	2,482	1872
1873	1,973	163	1,129	3,456	2,994	914	—	2,065	819	13,513	2,868	1,806	1873
1874	1,761	93	2,072	3,996	2,653	818	—	1,648	223	13,264	3,061	1,010	1874
1875	2,621	41	2,658	3,593	2,847	620	—	1,667	191	14,238	3,965	1,593	1875
1876	5,055	51	1,957	3,955	2,853	461	—	1,682	195	16,209	6,847	1,571	1876
1877	3,852	107	1,815	4,278	2,970	375	—	2,003	323	15,723	5,810	1,267	1877
1878	2,534	1,511	860	5,438	2,058	261	—	1,811	725	15,198	6,738	1,488	1878
1879	4,878	145	987	4,070	2,144	193	353	2,091	342	15,203	7,049	1,423	1879
1880	4,403	48	1,456	3,964	2,645	247	976	1,826	301	15,866	5,716	1,585	1880
1881	3,468	20	1,205	3,712	2,171	337	1,245	1,474	577	14,209	4,320	1,718	1881
1882	3,067	228	2,946	3,545	2,209	469	1,179	1,294	675	15,612	4,121	1,742	1882
1883	1,547	52	4,897	3,374	2,108	818	1,505	1,059	712	16,072	2,716	1,559	1883
1884	1,462	35	2,250	2,962	1,853	871	1,750	940	816	12,939	2,427	1,197	1884
1885	1,569	149	1,735	3,581	1,448	362	1,909	1,008	965	12,726	2,648	1,196	1885
1886	1,681	287	2,136	2,789	1,770	312	1,664	1,332	1,340	13,311	2,659	1,014	1886
1887	1,486	378	1,321	2,646	1,493	252	1,280	1,854	1,195	11,905	2,505	845	1887
1888	1,757	424	1,638	2,750	1,339	264	918	2,020	784	11,894	2,844	918	1888
1889	1,590	584	1,692	2,908	1,682	368	1,042	1,636	840	12,342	2,907	1,059	1889

N.B.—Men discharged on reduction of Establishment are included in the column headed "For other causes."

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TABLE 28.—SERVICES of DESERTERS during each year from 1870 to 1889, the number who rejoined the Service, and proportion Deserters to 1,000 men of the average strength.

Year.	Under 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	Under one year.	1 to 2 years.	Over 2 years.	Service not stated.	Total Deserted.	Proportion of Deserters to 1,000 Men.	Rejoined from Desertion.	Deserters held to serve in corps into which they have fraudulently enlisted.	Nett loss from Desertion.	Proportion of nett loss from Desertion to 1,000 men.	Year.
1870	417	250	297	964	363	1,788	56	3,171	18	1,088	—	2,083	12	1870
1871	581	679	845	2,105	664	1,769	15	4,553	25	1,498	—	3,055	16	1871
1872	626	562	908	2,096	1,507	2,237	21	5,861	32	1,855	—	4,006	22	1872
1873	861	642	723	2,226	954	2,491	31	5,702	32	1,785	—	3,917	22	1873
1874	1,219	807	819	2,845	670	2,044	23	5,582	31	2,052	—	3,530	20	1874
1875	898	547	776	2,221	682	1,468	2	4,373	25	1,944	—	2,429	14	1875
1876	1,315	675	723	2,713	717	1,405	—	4,835	27	2,063	—	2,772	16	1876
1877	1,369	801	1,002	3,172	672	1,147	—	4,991	27	2,437	—	2,554	14	1877
1878	1,416	769	932	3,117	936	1,153	200	5,406	28	2,751	—	2,655	14	1878
1879	1,062	618	782	2,462	606	1,051	27	4,146	23	2,256	—	1,890	10	1879
1880	1,141	560	850	2,551	713	1,383	186	4,833	26	*1,557	—	3,276	18	1880
1881	1,078	625	731	2,434	609	1,358	11	4,412	24	1,353	481	2,578	14	1881
1882	939	574	715	2,228	673	1,190	54	4,145	23	1,297	234	2,614	14	1882
1883	977	536	593	2,106	595	1,010	6	3,717	21	1,266	182	2,269	13	1883
1884	1,374	742	935	3,051	560	851	16	4,478	25	1,568	235	2,675	15	1884
1885	1,688	863	1,027	3,578	726	844	10	5,158	27	1,885	298	2,975	15	1885
1886	1,723	763	999	3,485	889	1,049	—	5,423	28	1,864	330	3,229	16	1886
1887	1,397	746	1,065	3,208	996	1,098	59	5,361	27	†2,061	†1,847	1,453	7	1887
1888	772	528	831	2,131	1,043	1,156	—	4,330	21	1,737	271	2,322	11	1888
1889	823	470	727	2,020	820	1,404	18	4,262	21	1,526	200	2,536	13	1889

N.B.—By Army Circular, 1876 (clause 59), the reward for the detection of deserters fraudulently enlisting into the Army was raised from 10*s.* to 1*l.*

* The reduction in the number "rejoined from desertion" may in part be attributed to the action of the Army Discipline and Regulation Act, whereby men who are discovered to have fraudulently enlisted are tried for that offence and dealt with in the corps into which they have fraudulently enlisted, instead of being relegated to their former corps and tried for desertion.

† Including men who received the Queen's pardon under General Order 102 of 1887.

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TABLE 29.—RETURN showing the proportion of DESERTIONS from the ARMY to the RECRUITS joined as reported during each year from 1870 to 1889.

Year.	Recruits Joined.	*Number of Recruits joined who were proved to have fraudulently enlisted.*	Desertions.	Per-centage of Deserters to Recruits.	Nett loss from Desertion.	Per-centage of nett loss to Recruits.
1870 -	24,594	—	3,171	12	2,083	9
1871 -	23,568	—	4,553	19	3,055	13
1872 -	17,791	—	5,861	33	4,006	22
1873 -	17,194	—	5,702	33	3,917	23
1874 -	20,640	—	5,572	27	3,530	17
1875 -	18,494	—	4,382	24	2,429	13
1876 -	29,370	—	4,878	17	2,772	9
1877 -	28,728	—	5,058	17	2,554	9
1878 -	28,325	—	5,416	19	2,655	9
1879 -	25,927	—	4,063	16	1,890	7
1880 -	25,622	—	4,833	19	*3,276	13
1881 -	26,258	*312*	4,394	17	2,578	10
1882 -	23,802	*170*	4,145	17	2,614	11
1883 -	33,096	*170*	3,717	11	2,269	7
1884 -	35,653	*168*	4,478	12	2,675	7·5
1885 -	39,971	*251*	5,147	13	2,975	7·5
1886 -	39,409	*304*	5,402	13·7	3,229	8·2
1887 -	31,225	*410*	5,361	17·2	1,453	4·7
1888 -	25,153	*133*	4,331	17	2,322	9·2
1889 -	29,401	*154*	4,262	14·5	2,536	8·6

N.B.—The small per-centage of desertions during 1870 is accounted for by the fact that the majority of the recruits were raised during the latter part of the year. As deserters were not struck off the strength of regiments until after an absence of two months, in many cases they would not be reported till the subsequent year.

By General Order 7 of 1872 the period of absence after which a soldier is struck off the strength of his regiment as a deserter was reduced from two months to 21 days.

* The increase in the nett loss from desertion may in part be attributed to the action of the Army Act, whereby men who are discovered to have fraudulently enlisted are tried for that offence and dealt with in the corps into which they have fraudulently enlisted, instead of being relegated to their former corps and tried for desertion.

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TABLE 30.—SERVICES of MEN transferred from the Regular Army to the 1st Class Army Reserve during each year since the date of the Army Enlistment Act of 1870.

Year.	Services of Men transferred.																	Total.	On completion of Short Service with the Colours.	On conversion of Army Service.	Retransferred on demobilisation of Army Reserve.	Relegated.	Not stated.	Total transferred to Army Reserve.	Year.
	Under 3 years.	After 3 years.	After 4 years.	After 5 years.	After 6 years.	After 7 years.	After 8 years.	After 9 years.	After 10 years.	After 11 years.	After 12 years.	After 13 years.	After 14 years.	After 15 years.	After 16 years.	After 17 years.	Service not stated.								
1871	—	598	363	280	281	162	77	24	79	94	111	104	10	3	—	—	51	2,237	—	2,237	—	—	—	2,237	1871
1872	—	2	1	—	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	5	17	—	17	—	—	—	17	1872
1873	—	280	170	101	70	95	79	36	29	17	43	53	34	22	—	—	1	1,030	—	1,030	—	—	—	1,030	1873
1874	—	410	80	43	44	44	47	25	8	3	5	11	10	5	1	1	7	744	—	744	—	—	—	744	1874
1875	—	230	145	98	62	51	66	21	13	14	2	3	1	4	—	—	2	712	—	712	—	—	—	712	1875
1876	—	45	17	36	547	19	22	11	4	5	—	1	—	2	—	—	3	712	524	185	—	—	3	712	1876
1877	—	614	712	683	3,316	309	176	143	56	19	20	10	—	3	1	—	—	6,062	3,013	3,049	—	—	—	6,062	1877
1878	—	115	109	114	3,958	110	107	61	61	30	11	9	12	1	—	—	33	4,731	3,858	840	12,979	—	33	17,710	1878
1879	—	49	16	23	3,975	7	15	9	8	8	1	1	2	1	—	—	3	4,118	3,962	153	—	—	3	4,118	1879
1880	—	45	49	192	4,269	342	6	22	3	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	7	4,938	4,583	348	—	—	7	4,938	1880
1881	—	42	17	499	4,198	522	165	166	377	60	8	8	7	—	3	1	—	6,073	4,444	1,629	—	—	—	6,073	1881
1882	57	169	345	879	4,611	368	74	51	85	118	26	16	18	8	4	4	77	6,910	4,802	2,108	1,460	—	—	8,370	1882
1883	2	27	35	301	12,409	600	1450	37	51	29	—	—	—	1	1	—	48	14,991	14,279	712	8,538	—	—	23,529	1883
1884	53	90	99	566	8,067	274	1683	45	40	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	245	11,194	10,163	1,031	7	—	—	11,201	1884
1885	23	103	62	309	7,504	574	1377	39	17	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	117	10,128	9,560	568	2,578	69	--	12,775	1885
1886	47	639	200	962	7,025	213	1752	96	62	22	—	1	—	—	—	—	63	11,082	9,001	2,081	15	113	—	11,210	1886
1887	7	839	97	1958	4,775	965	1373	134	392	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	10,612	7,251	3,361	—	136	—	10,748	1887
1888	85	763	142	1515	1,060	1894	1760	97	965	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	8,350	5,091	3,259	—	73	—	8,423	1888
1889	154	815	183	922	665	7280	1036	95	1480	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,669	10,226	2,443	—	57	—	12,726	1889

N.B.—By G.O. 92 of 1877 cavalry soldiers having four years' service and upwards were permitted to transfer their services to the Army Reserve.

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PART III.—FOREIGN RELIEFS AND RE-INFORCEMENTS.

TABLE 31.—Detail of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked from Home for Foreign Service during 1889, specifying the ages of the men embarked with detachments.

Corps.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.															Total of each Arm.
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers and Buglers	Rank and File	Total Regiments.	Under 18 years of age	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	Over 30 years.	Not reported.	Total Detachments.	
FOR INDIA.																					
Cavalry of the Line	1	38	7	475	520	11	5	57	153	99	72	35	14	9	9	1	4	—	11	—	480	1,000
Royal Artillery	4	34	8	248	290	20	10	349	628	395	254	177	97	70	61	17	11	7	44	—	2,140	2,430
Infantry of the Line	1	49	18	1,095	1,162	114	35	191	2,939	1,618	788	381	225	175	140	63	27	18	87	—	6,801	7,963
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	3	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	12	12
Total	—	121	33	1,818	1,972	145	50	597	3,720	2,112	1,115	596	339	258	210	82	42	25	142	—	9,433	11,405
FOR THE COLONIES.																					
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	35	26	51	19	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	142	142
Royal Artillery	3	17	6	485	508	5	25	38	58	46	40	29	39	21	6	2	7	1	12	—	329	837
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	10	16	16	15	13	14	8	8	4	8	4	20	—	140	140
Infantry of the Line	1	41	13	870	924	76	53	540	784	526	232	140	93	80	49	33	10	9	24	—	2,649	3,573
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	6	7	4	1	1	3	3	2	4	3	—	35	35
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	4	7	6	3	1	1	—	2	1	4	—	34	34
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	2	1	—	2	—	8	8
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	—	4	7	—	15	15
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	6	8	18	7	11	5	7	7	4	6	3	23	—	107	107
Total	—	58	19	1,355	1,432	85	80	630	897	667	327	215	156	118	78	49	36	26	95	—	3,459	4,891
FOR EGYPT, &c.																					
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	2	6	—	13	13
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	3	7	5	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	24
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	1	5	5	—	2	3	—	—	—	1	—	20	20
Infantry of the Line	1	40	16	725	781	6	1	98	95	39	17	14	11	6	3	2	1	—	2	—	295	1,076
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	3	3	1	2	2	3	2	3	—	22	22
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	3	5	9	3	6	1	1	1	3	9	—	45	45
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	14	11	6	4	3	3	3	1	2	3	7	—	65	65
Total	—	40	16	725	781	9	6	106	120	61	39	37	20	18	12	9	9	10	28	—	484	1,265
General Total	—	219	68	3,898	4,185	239	136	1,333	4,737	2,840	1,481	848	515	394	300	140	87	61	265	—	13,376	17,561

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TABLE 32.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked for INDIA during 1889.

—	From Home.							From Colonies.							From Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	1	38	7	475	520	480	1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1,000
Royal Artillery	4	34	8	248	290	2,140	2,430	3	14	4	123	141	—	141	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	2,571
Infantry of the Line	1	49	18	1,005	1,162	6,801	7,963	2	74	20	1,282	1,385	—	1,385	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	9,348
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	12	12	—	2	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14
Total	—	121	33	818	1,972	9,433	11,405	—	90	33	1,405	1,528	—	1,528	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,933

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TABLE 33.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked for the COLONIES during 1889.

—	From Home.							From India.							From Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	142	142	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	142
Royal Artillery	3	17	6	485	508	329	837	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	837
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	140	140	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	140
Infantry of the Line	1	41	13	870	924	2,649	3,573	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	45	16	734	795	4	799	2	4,372
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	35	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	35
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	34	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	37
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	15	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	107	107	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	12	—	119
Total	—	58	19	1,355	1,432	3,459	4,891	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	45	16	734	795	19	814	—	5,705

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TABLE 34.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked for EGYPT during 1889.

—	From Home.							From India.							From Colonies.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	13	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	24	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	20	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20
Infantry of the Line	1	40	16	725	781	295	1,076	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	86	31	1,514	1,631	—	1,631	3	2,707
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	22	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	45	45	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	—	49
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	65	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	34	—	99
Total	—	40	16	725	781	484	1,265	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	86	31	1,514	1,631	38	1,669	—	2,934

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TABLE 35.—Detail of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked at Home from Foreign Service during 1889, specifying the circumstances under which the men came home.

Corps.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.						Total of each arm.
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total Regiments.	Invalids.	Time expired men.	To join Army Reserve.	To join Depôt.	Other causes.	Total Detachments.	
FROM INDIA.												
Cavalry of the Line	1	39	8	470	517	125	75	165	49	11	425	942
Royal Artillery	7	46	12	384	442	353	303	823	85	82	1,646	2,088
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	8	—	10	10
Infantry of the Line	3	111	47	1,622	1,780	1,296	427	4,489	362	213	6,787	8,567
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	6	—	8	8
Total	—	196	67	2,476	2,739	1,775	808	5,477	510	306	8,876	11,615
FROM THE COLONIES.												
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	5	5	13	5	—	28	28
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	106	37	226	43	113	525	525
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	9	8	38	43	1	99	99
Infantry of the Line	1	47	16	693	756	321	288	1,328	162	190	2,289	3,045
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	16	2	19	19
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	30	—	35	35
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	2
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	12	12
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	12	2	4	28	5	51	51
Total	—	47	16	693	756	454	340	1,614	341	311	3,060	3,816
FROM EGYPT.												
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	5	7	21	2	—	35	35
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	5	1	1	10	10
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	12	—	16	16
Infantry of the Line	1	44	16	741	801	88	34	84	101	40	347	1,148
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	56	1	61	61
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	28	2	31	31
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	3	83	3	95	95
Total	—	44	16	741	801	103	44	118	284	47	596	1,397
General Total	—	287	99	3,910	4,296	2,332	1,192	7,209	1,135	664	12,532	16,828

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TABLE 36.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked from INDIA during 1889.

	At Home.					In the Colonies.							In Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.				Detachments.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	1	39	8	470	517	—	—	—	—	—	425	942	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	942
Royal Artillery	7	46	12	384	442	—	—	—	—	—	1,646	2,088	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	2,088
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
Infantry of the Line	3	111	47	1,622	1,780	—	—	—	—	—	6,787	8,567	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	8,568
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Total	—	196	67	2,476	2,739	—	—	—	—	—	8,876	11,615	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11,616

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TABLE 37.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked from the COLONIES during 1889.

—	At Home.							In India.							In Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	28	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	525	525	3	14	4	123	141	—	141	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	666
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	99	99	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	99
Infantry of the Line	1	47	16	693	756	2,289	3,045	2	74	29	1,282	1,385	—	1,385	2	86	31	1,514	1,631	—	1,631	5	6,061
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	19	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	35	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	—	39
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	12	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12
Medical Staff Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	51	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	34	—	85
Total	—	47	16	693	756	3,060	3,816	—	88	33	1,405	1,526	—	1,526	—	86	31	1,514	1,631	38	1,669	—	7,011

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TABLE 38.—DETAIL OF REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked from EGYPT during 1889.

	At Home.				In India.				In the Colonies.						Total.
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.			Detachments.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.			Detachments.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.				Detachments.		
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	35	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	35
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	10	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	16	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16
Infantry of the Line	1	44	16	741	801	347	1,148	—	1	45	16	734	795	4	790	2	1,947
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	61	61	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	61
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	31	31	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	34
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	95	95	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	12	—	107
Total	—	44	16	741	801	596	1,397	—	—	45	16	734	795	19	814	—	2,211

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TABLE 39.—REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked

Year.	—	For India.						
		Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.		Infantry of the Line.		All Arms.
		Regts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.	
1880	Regiments, &c.	–	4(1)	9	1,329	5	4,762(1)	6,095(1)
	Detachments	–	496	–	732	–	4,925	6,153
	Total	–	500(1)	–	2,061(1)	–	9,687(1)	12,248(1)
1881	Regiments, &c.	–	25(2)	4	192	1	891	1,108(2)
	Detachments	–	264	–	898	–	5,067	6,229
	Total	–	289(2)	–	1,090	–	5,958	7,337(3)
1882	Regiments, &c.	–	—	–	—	–	9	9(3)
	Detachments	–	6	–	1,706	–	5,362	7,074
	Total	–	6	–	1,706	–	5,371	7,083(3)
1883	Regiments, &c.	1	432	6	423	1	895	1,750
	Detachments	–	1,110	–	1,239	–	7,600	9,949
	Total	–	1,542	–	1,662	–	8,495	11,699
1884	Regiments, &c.	1	377	4	253	1	891	1,521
	Detachments	–	387	–	1,238	–	5,847	7,472
	Total	–	764	–	1,491	–	6,738(8)	8,993(8)
1885	Regiments, &c.	1	594	5	272(11)	–	281(11)	1,147(11)
	Detachments	–	632	–	1,490	–	7,507	9,629
	Total	–	1,226	–	1,762(11)	–	7,788(11)	10,776(11)
1886	Regiments, &c.	1	584	9	735(14)	–	281(14)	1,600(14)
	Detachments	–	1,281	–	1,447	–	9,750	12,478
	Total	–	1,865	–	2,182 (14)	–	10,031 (14)	14,078 (14)
1887	Regiments, &c.	1	540	12	914	–	925	2,379
	Detachments	–	633	–	1,065	–	4,760	6,458
	Total	–	1,173	–	1,979	–	5,685(17)	8,837(17)
1888	Regiments, &c.	1	629	6	370	1	1,055	2,054
	Detachments	–	325	–	1,788	–	6,764	8,877
	Total	–	954	–	2,158	–	7,819(20)	10,931(20)
1889	Regiments, &c.	1	520	4	290(23)	1	1,162(23)	1,972 (23)
	Detachments	–	480	–	2,140	–	†6,813	9,433
	Total	–	1,000	–	2,430(23)	–	†7,975(23)	11,405(23)

* The numbers shown in this table are exclusive of any troops that may have proceeded between the Colonies and India.

† Including 12 men belonging to the Corps of Armourers.

‡ Including 8 men belonging to Corps of Armourers.

(1) In addition, one regiment of cavalry and four battalions of infantry (3,179 non-commissioned officers and men) proceeded from the Colonies to India.

(2) In addition, one regiment of cavalry (353 non-commissioned officers and men) proceeded from the Colonies to India.

(3) In addition, 3,626 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from Colonies and Egypt to India.

(4) In addition, two regiments of cavalry (808), one battery of artillery (190), and four battalions of infantry (2,682), in all 3,680 non-commissioned officers and men, proceeded from India to the Colonies.

(5) In addition, 820 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from Egypt to the Colonies.

(6) In addition, 9,809 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from India and the Colonies to Egypt.

(7) In addition, four battalions of infantry (2,680) proceeded from Egypt to the Colonies.

(8) In addition, three battalions of infantry (2,108) proceeded from Colonies to India.

(9) In addition, one regiment of cavalry (367) from India, and half battalion of infantry (357) from Egypt, to Colonies.

(10) In addition, 2,900 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from India, and 3,827 from Colonies, to Egypt.

(11) In addition, one battery of artillery, and one battalion of infantry from Colonies, and one battalion of infantry from Egypt, proceeded to India (1,852 non-commissioned officers and men).

(12) In addition, three battalions of foot guards and one battalion of infantry proceeded from Egypt (3,394 non-commissioned officers and men).

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for Foreign Service in each year from 1880 to 1889.*

For the Colonies.															For Egypt.		
Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.		Royal Engineers.		Infantry of the Line.		Army Service Corps, late Commissariat and Transport Corps.		Ordnance Store Corps.		Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	All Arms (detail in Table 34.)	Total embarked.	Year.
Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	N.C.O. & Men.	N.C.O. & Men.				
–	—	1	146	6	463	4	2,728	–	—	–	—	—	—	3,337	—	9,432	1880
–	6	–	316	–	58	–	2,230	–	38	–	20	—	70	2,738	—	8,891	
–	6	–	462	–	521	–	4,958	–	38	–	20	—	70	6,075	—	18,323	
2	912(4)	2	325(4)	1½	187	4	2,984(4)	1	122	–	—	—	—	4,651(4)	—	5,759	1881
						Mt. In.	121										
–	8	–	663	–	133	–	4,486	–	79	–	67	—	262	5,698	—	11,927	
–	920(4)	–	988(4)	–	320	–	7,591(4)	–	201	–	67	—	262	10,349[4]	—	17,686	
–	—	3	405	1	62	6	5,163	–	—	–	—	—	—	5,630	16,204	21,843	1882
–	60	–	341	–	147	–	2,039	–	14	–	27	—	61	2,689	6,460	16,223	
–	60	–	746	–	209	–	7,202	–	14	–	27	—	61	8,319(5)	(6)22,664	38,066	
–	—	1	115	–	—	1	836(7)	–	—	–	—	—	—	951(7)	—	2,701	1883
–	108	–	918	–	228	–	3456	–	45	–	37	—	78	4,870	2,288	17,107	
–	108	–	1,033	–	228	–	4,292(7)	–	45	–	37	—	78	5,821(7)	2,288	19,808	
–	—	2	298	2	226	9	6,846	1	63	–	—	—	—	7,433	1,857	10,611	1884
–	76	–	409	–	141	–	2,686	–	90	–	80	15	89	3,577	2,322	13,371	
–	76 (9)	–	698	–	367	–	9,532(9)	–	153	–	80	15	89	11,010[9]	4,179(10)	24,182	
–	—	5	609	1½	91	8	5,610	–	—	–	—	—	—	6,310	4,368	11,825	1885
–	51	–	458	–	290	–	4,861	–	25	–	43	6	172	5,906	4,529	26,064	
–	51	–	1,067	–	381	–	10,471	–	25	–	43	6	172	12,216[12]	8,897(13)	31,889	
–	—	9	1,102	1½	70	2	1,400	–	—	–	—	—	—	2,572	—	4,172	1886
–	107	–	567	–	336	–	3,889	–	56	–	25	1	127	5,108	2,025	19,611	
–	107	–	1,669	–	406	–	5,289 (15)	–	56	–	25	1	127	7,680[15]	2,025(16)	23,783	
–	—	3	365	1	59	1	686	–	—	–	—	—	—	1,050	718	4,147	1887
–	52	–	667	–	147	–	1,419	–	26	–	23	6	42	2,382	244	9,084	
–	52	–	972(18)	–	206	–	2105(18)	–	26	–	23	6	42	3,432[18]	962(19)	13,231	
–	—	3	491	1	67	3¼	2,445	–	—	–	—	—	—	2,913	821	5,788	1888
–	84	–	354	–	203	–	1,884	–	29	–	20	3	93	2,675	256	11,808	
–	84	–	755	–	275	–	4329(21)	–	29	–	20	3	93	5,588[21]	1,077(22)	17,596	
–	—	3	508	–	—	1	924(24)	–	—	–	—	—	—	1,432[24]	781(25)	4,185	1889
–	112	–	329	–	140	–	‡2,057	–	35	–	34	15	107	3,459	484	13,376	
–	142	–	837	–	140	–	‡3581(24)	–	35	–	34	15	107	4,891[24]	1,265(25)	17,561	

(13) In addition, one battery of artillery, and nine battalions of infantry proceeded from the Colonies (8,518 non-commissioned officers and men).

(14) In addition, one battalion of infantry from the Colonies, and one battery of artillery and two battalions of infantry from Egypt proceeded to India (3,108 non-commissioned officers and men).

(15) In addition, 4½ battalions of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (4,537 non-commissioned officers and men).

(16) In addition, 2 battalions of infantry (2,469 non-commissioned officers and men) proceeded from the Colonies to Egypt.

(17) In addition two battalions of infantry from the Colonies, and two battalions of infantry from Egypt proceeded to India (2,767 non-commissioned officers and men).

(18) In addition, one battery of artillery, and two battalions of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (1,739 non-commissioned officers and men).

(19) In addition, six companies of infantry proceeded from Colonies to Egypt (680 non-commisioned officers and men).

(20) In addition one battalion of infantry from the Colonies, and one battalion of infantry from Egypt, proceeded to India (1,398 non-commissioned officers and men).

(21) In addition two battalions of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (1,647 non-commissioned officers and men).

(22) In addition, two companies of infantry proceeded from Colonies to Egypt (147 non-commissioned officers and men).

(23) In addition, three batteries of artillery, and two battalions of infantry proceeded from the Colonies to India (1,528 non-commissioned officers and men).

(24) In addition, one battalion of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (814 non-commissioned officers and men).

(25) In addition two battalions of infantry proceeded from Colonies to Egypt (1,669 non-commissioned officers and men).

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TABLE 40.—REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked

Year.		From India.									From the Colonies.			
		Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.		Royal Engineers.		Infantry of the Line.		All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.	
		Regts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.		Regts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.
1880	Regiments, &c.	–	6	5	422	–	—	5	2,897	3,325	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	308	–	874	–	—	–	5,097	6,279	–	232	–	346
	Total -	–	314	–	1,296	–	—	–	7,994	9,604	–	232	–	346
1881	Regiments, &c.	–	33	10	1,024	–	—	3	1,688	2,745	–	—	1	78
	Detachments -	–	226	–	903	–	—	–	6,687	7,816	–	71	–	318
	Total -	–	259	–	1,927	–	—	–	8,375	10,561	–	71	–	396
1882	Regiments, &c.	–	—	15	1,078	–	—	3	†1,684	†2,762	–	675	3	465
	Detachments -	–	264	–	751	–	—	–	4,190	5,205	–	95	–	459
	Total -	–	264	–	1,829	–	—	–	5,874	7,967	–	770	–	924
1883	Regiments, &c.	–	—	3	198	–	—	1	419	617	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	630	–	1,410	–	1	–	10,624	12,665	–	44	–	522
	Total -	–	630	–	1,608	–	1	–	11,043	13,282	–	44	–	522
1884	Regiments, &c.	–	‡6	6	‡423	–	—	1	‡420	‡849	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	444	–	973	–	1	–	5,102	6,520	–	37	–	544
	Total -	–	450	–	1,396	–	1	–	5,522	7,369	–	37	–	544
1885	Regiments, &c.	1	413	4	226	–	—	–	4	643	1	343	2	266
	Detachments -	–	347	–	1,271	–	—	–	4,887	6,505	–	116	–	593
	Total -	–	760	–	1,497	–	—	–	4,891	7,148	–	459	–	859
1886	Regiments, &c.	1	403	5	265	–	—	2	973	1,641	–	48	10	1,033
	Detachments -	–	457	–	1,027	–	—	–	4,093	5,577	–	—	–	479
	Total -	–	860	–	1,292	–	—	–	5,066	7,218	–	48		1,512
1887	Regiments, &c.	1	395	5	777	–	—	3	1,562	2,234	–	—	3	234
	Detachments -	–	431	–	947	–	10	–	5,233	6,621	–	60	–	334
	Total -	–	826	–	1,224	–	10	–	6,795	8,855	–	60	–	568
1888	Regiments, &c.	1	479	9	584	–	—	3	1,539	2,602	–	—	3	342
	Detachments -	–	415	–	1,707	–	9	–	4,095	6,226	–	73	–	360
	Total -	–	894	–	2,291	–	9	–	5,634	8,828	–	73	–	702
1889	Regiments, &c.	1	517	7	442	–	—	3	1,780	2,739	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	425	–	1,646	–	10	–	§6,795	8,876	–	28	–	525
	Total -	–	942	–	2,088	–	10	–	§8,575	11,615	–	28	–	525

* The numbers shown in this table are exclusive of any troops that may have proceeded from the Colonies to India, or from
† In addition to these numbers two battalions (1,211 non-commissioned officers and men) returned home, but having
‡ In addition to these numbers one regiment of cavalry, one battery of artillery, and two battalions of infantry returned home
§ Including eight men belonging to the Corps of Armourers.
¶ Including two men belonging to Corps of Armourers.

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from Foreign Service in each year from 1880 to 1889.*

From the Colonies.													From Egypt.		
Royal Engineers.		Foot Guards.		Infantry of the Line.		Army Service Corps, late Commissariat and Transport Corps.		Ordnance Store Corps.		Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	All Arms (detail in Table 38).	Total disembarked.	Year.
Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	N.C.O.	N.C.O. & Men.				
–	534	–	—	5	3,129	5	404	–	21	—	—	4,088	—	7,413	1880
–	431	–	—	–	2,963	–	150	–	71	—	212	4,465	—	10,684	
–	965	–	—	–	6,092	–	554	–	92	—	212	8,493	—	18,097	
3½	221	–	—	4½	3,169	–	–	–	—	—	—	3,468	—	6,213	1881
–	106	–	—	–	1,889	–	38	–	20	—	72	2,514	—	10,330	
–	327	–	—	–	5,058	–	38	–	20	—	72	5,982	—	16,543	
3½	293	–	—	5½	3,331	2	145	–	—	—	—	4,909	7,261	14,932	1882
–	157	–	—	–	2,849	–	86	–	104	—	245	3,995	6,504	15,704	
–	450	–	—	–	6,180	–	231	–	104	—	245	8,904	13,765	30,636	
–	—	–	—	3	2,153	–	—	–	—	—	—	2,153	2,012	4,782	1883
–	198	–	—	–	2,222	–	44	–	35	—	138	3,203	2,994	18,862	
–	198	–	—	–	4,375	–	44	–	35	—	138	5,356	5,006	23,644	
1	86	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	86	1,073	2,008	1884
–	166	–	—	–	2,308	–	46	–	20	—	126	3,247	1,342	11,109	
–	252	–	—	–	2,308	–	46	–	20	—	126	3,333	2,415	13,117	
2⅔	232	3	2,022	–	—	1	104	–	—	—	—	2,967	4,415	8,025	1885
–	205	–	—	–	2,331	–	37	–	30	1	101	3,414	5,574	15,493	
–	437	–	2,022	–	2,331	–	141	–	30	1	101	6,381	9,989	23,518	
2	89	–	—	4	3,035	–	—	–	—	—	—	4,157	3,553	9,351	1886
–	199	–	—	–	1,959	–	53	–	26	1	110	2,875	2,880	11,332	
–	288	–	—	–	4,994	–	53	–	26	1	110	7,032	6,433	20,683	
⅓	23	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	257	1,638	4,129	1887
–	107	–	—	–	1,629	–	21	–	12	1	60	2,224	1,124	9,969	
–	130	–	—	–	1,629	–	21	–	12	1	60	2,481	2,762	14,098	
2	108	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	450	—	3,052	1888
–	98	–	—	–	861	–	19	–	14	2	53	1,480	581	8,287	
–	206	–	—	–	861	–	19	–	14	2	53	1,930	581	11,339	
–	—	–	—	1	756	–	—	–	—	—	—	756	—	3 ,45	1889
–	99	–	—	–	¶2,291	–	19	–	35	12	51	3,060	—	11,936	
–	99	–	—	–	¶3,047	–	19	–	35	12	51	3,816	—	15,431	

India to the Colonies. Details of these troops will be found at the foot of Table 39.
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TABLE 41.—NUMBER of COURTS-MARTIAL held during 1889, showing the OFFENCES for which the men were tried, the Sentences awarded, and the Punishments inflicted, in each arm of the service, at home and abroad.

Courts-Martial and Offences.

—	AT HOME.											ABROAD.										GENERAL TOTAL.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	
Number of Courts-Martial	10	550	986	90	210	3,784	105	6	—	32	5,773	173	1,006	34	3,720	89	2	3	—	13	5,100	10,873
Offences in relation to :— The enemy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mutiny	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	7
Desertion	6	165	238	16	42	1,014	16	2	—	3	1,502	17	28	1	117	6	—	1	—	1	171	1,673
Fraudulent Enlistment	1	41	70	5	13	236	1	1	—	1	369	—	6	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	16	385
Offences in relation to enlistment	—	24	74	—	10	189	1	—	—	2	300	—	7	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	20	320
Violence and disobedience to Superiors	1	74	134	11	16	498	21	—	—	3	758	43	170	6	872	14	—	—	—	3	1,108	1,866
Minor Insubordination and neglect of orders	1	84	171	9	27	535	21	1	—	2	851	29	212	6	780	14	1	—	—	2	1,044	1,895
Quitting or Sleeping on Post	—	26	23	2	6	47	5	—	—	1	110	10	67	—	182	2	—	—	—	—	261	371
Drunk on Duty	1	29	66	4	15	199	7	—	—	7	328	24	173	2	571	1	—	—	—	4	775	1,103
Drunkenness	—	18	43	7	4	234	4	1	—	5	316	29	151	10	572	7	—	—	—	1	770	1,086
Disgraceful Conduct	1	33	68	4	10	249	3	—	—	4	372	28	55	—	303	7	—	—	—	4	397	769
Absence without Leave	—	66	163	26	61	711	26	2	—	4	1,059	24	194	6	587	10	—	—	—	3	824	1,883
Making away with Necessaries	4	155	310	4	90	1,521	26	2	—	3	2,115	30	171	—	689	—	—	—	—	1	891	3,006
Miscellaneous	—	117	64	6	75	706	12	1	—	10	991	17	108	3	917	32	2	2	—	7	1,088	2,079
Total of Offences	15	832	1,424	94	369	6,139	143	10	—	45	9,071	251	1,349	34	5,613	93	3	3	—	26	7,372	16,443

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TABLE 41—*continued.*—Sentences awarded.

	At Home.													Abroad.										General Total
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medica. Staff Corps.	All Arms.	
Death	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2		2
Penal Servitude	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	3		6
Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks	1	71	126	20	28	439	21	3	—	11	719	35	184	14	501	19	—	1	—	5	759		1,478
Reduction and Imprisonment	—	11	14	—	4	30	1	—	—	—	69	3	14	—	35	2	2	—	—	2	58		127
Summary Punishment under sec. 44 (para. 5), Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—
Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	—	1	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	12	—	8	—	13	—	—	1	—	—	22		34
Imprisonment, with or without Hard Labour	0	456	833	65	174	3,218	81	3	—	18	4,857	127	831	18	3,057	60	—	1	—	5	4,099		8,956
Discharged with ignominy, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		1
Total of Sentences	10	538	973	85	207	3,710	103	6	—	29	5,661	166	1,037	32	3,610	81	2	3	—	12	4,943		10,604
Acquitted	—	12	13	5	3	74	2	—	—	3	112	7	20	2	110	6	—	—	—	1	157		269

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TABLE 41—*continued.*—Punishments inflicted.

	AT HOME.											ABROAD.										GENERAL TOTAL.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	
Death	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	2
Penal Servitude	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	5
Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks	1	71	119	12	28	412	21	3	—	11	678	32	167	11	480	18	—	1	—	6	715	1,393
Reduction and Imprisonment	—	7	11	—	4	32	1	—	—	—	55	3	12	—	30	2	2	—	—	1	50	105
Summary Punishment under sec. 44 (parn. 5) Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	—	2	—	—	15	—	—	—	—	17	—	9	—	14	—	—	1	—	—	24	41
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	9	453	826	63	173	3,189	81	3	—	18	4,815	126	824	18	3,029	59	—	1	—	5	4,062	8,877
Discharged with ignominy without other punishment	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Total of Punishments inflicted	10	531	958	75	206	3,651	103	6	—	29	5,569	162	1,012	29	3,556	79	2	3	—	12	4,855	10,424
Pardoned	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sentence wholly remitted	—	5	11	10	1	50	—	—	—	—	77	4	23	2	35	1	—	—	—	—	65	142
Sentence quashed	—	2	4	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	15	—	2	1	19	*2	—	—	—	—	*24	*39
Per-centage to number of Non-commissioned Officers: Reduction	·5	4·5	4·9	1·	4·7	6·2	3·1	2·6	—	2·3	4·8	4·0	7·2	2·5	7·4	6·1	—	1·2	—	4·9	6·6	5·6
Per-centage to number of Non-commissioned Officers: Reduction and Imprisonment	—	·4	·4	—	·7	·5	·1	—	—	—	·4	·4	·5	—	·5	·7	2·0	—	—	·8	·5	·4

* One sentence quashed after punishment had been inflicted.

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TABLE 42.—NUMBER of MEN tried by COURTS-MARTIAL, compared with the number of trials, in each arm of the service, during 1889; also the number of each description of Court.

CORPS	Number of men tried.							Number of trials.				
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total.	General Courts-Martial.	District or Garrison Courts-Martial.	Regimental or Detachment Courts-Martial.	Summary Courts-Martial.	Total.
Household Cavalry	10	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	10	—	—	10
Cavalry of the Line	614	41	9	—	—	—	664	1	470	252	—	723
Royal Artillery	1,577	186	33	1	—	—	1,797	7	1,098	947	—	2,052
Royal Engineers	110	7	—	—	—	—	117	—	65	59	—	124
Foot Guards	177	13	1	1	—	—	192	—	107	103	—	210
Infantry of the Line	6,000	574	105	9	1	—	6,689	14	4,217	3,272	1	7,504
Colonial Corps	81	4	—	—	—	—	85	—	56	33	—	89
Army Service Corps	89	9	—	—	—	—	98	—	55	52	—	107
Ordnance Store Corps	9	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	8	1	—	9
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	43	1	—	—	—	—	44	—	35	10	—	45
General Total	8,710	835	148	11	1	—	9,705	22	6,121	4,729	1	10,878

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TABLE 43.—NUMBER of MEN fined for DRUNKENNESS during 1889, the number of FINES inflicted, and the proportion per 1,000 of men fined to the average strength in each arm of the service.

CORPS.	NUMBER OF MEN FINED.															Proportion per 1,000 of men fined to the average strength.	Number of cases of Fines inflicted.
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Seven times.	Eight times.	Nine times.	Ten times.	Eleven times.	Twelve times.	Thirteen times.	Fourteen times.	Total of men Fined.		
Household Cavalry	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	4	7
Cavalry of the Line	283	96	42	20	10	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	454	27	749
Royal Artillery	1,183	535	250	157	66	32	24	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	2,255	67	4,886
Royal Engineers	89	29	7	9	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	136	23	214
Foot Guards	130	41	16	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	192	35	281
Infantry of the Line	6,963	3,314	1,823	1,074	562	278	138	62	19	13	3	—	—	—	14,249	110	29,630
Colonial Corps	27	13	10	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	55	23	106
Army Service Corps	43	5	7	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	59	19	90
Ordnance Store Corps	3	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	11	15
Medical Staff Corps	41	18	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	27	89
General Total	8,766	4,052	2,162	1,271	644	313	162	69	20	13	3	—	—	—	17,475	87	35,567

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TABLE 44.—NUMBER of MINOR PUNISHMENTS, including Fines for Drunkenness, inflicted by order of Commanding Officers, and the per-centage to average strength in each arm of the service, at home and abroad, during 1889.

Corps.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.	Per-centage to Average Strength.
Household Cavalry - -	463	—	463	38
Cavalry of the Line - -	9,421	2,991	12,412	73
Royal Artillery - -	13,792	12,822	26,614	79
Royal Engineers - -	2,535	626	3,161	53
Foot Guards - - -	6,844	—	6,844	124
Infantry of the Line - -	76,968	88,001	164,969	127
Colonial Corps - - -	—	4,087	4,087	170
Army Service Corps - -	2,976	50	3,026	100
Ordnance Store Corps - -	133	39	172	26
Corps of Ordnance Artificers -	1	—	1	1
Medical Staff Corps - -	1,650	311	1,961	82
Total - - -	114,783	108,927	223,710	111

TABLE 45.—NUMBER of MEN tried by COURT-MARTIAL in each year from 1872 to 1889, and the total number of trials.

YEAR.	Number of men tried.							Number of trials.
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total Men.	
1872	10,115	1,596	271	40	2	—	12,024	14,290
1873	10,683	1,148	152	14	—	—	11,997	13,421
1874	10,995	1,231	170	22	1	—	12,419	14,060
1875	10,896	1,173	134	13	1	—	12,217	13,701
1876	10,864	1,187	125	11	—	—	12,187	13,657
1877	12,434	1,324	202	20	5	—	13,985	15,793
1878	12,931	1,407	227	17	—	1	14,583	16,500
1879	12,546	1,230	145	14	3	—	13,938	15,512
1880	12,370	1,170	152	19	—	—	13,711	15,242
1881	13,206	1,319	189	23	4	—	14,741	16,523
1882	11,336	1,101	144	17	—	—	12,598	14,038
1883	10,655	1,023	136	18	2	—	11,834	13,191
1884	9,906	1,019	153	20	2	—	11,100	12,493
1885	11,456	1,086	189	20	1	—	12,752	14,280
1886	11,307	1,217	173	24	8	1	12,730	14,401
1887	9,244	1,131	183	36	4	—	10,598	12,219
1888	9,318	1,086	189	29	3	—	10,625	12,188
1889	8,710	835	148	11	1	—	9,705	10,873

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TABLE 46.—COURTS-MARTIAL, CRIMES, and PUNISHMENTS, in each year from 1870 to 1889.

Courts-Martial and Offences.

	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.
No. of Courts-Martial	13,321	14,882	14,290	13,491	14,060	13,701	13,657	15,793	16,500	15,512	15,242	16,523	14,038	13,101	12,493	14,280	14,401	12,219	12,188	10,873
OFFENCES.																				
Offences in relation to: The enemy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Offences in relation to: Mutiny	2	—	2	5	—	2	—	8	—	—	1	7	2	—	—	2	6	4	—	7
Offences in relation to: Desertion	1,521	2,136	2,421	2,365	2,692	2,523	2,776	3,376	3,264	2,615	1,740	1,597	1,477	1,397	1,540	2,050	2,103	1,514	1,821	1,666
Offences in relation to: Fraudulent enlistment.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	839	1,243	1,190	934	659	786	581	713	519	385	390
Offences in relation to enlistment																503	617	479	340	323
Violence to Superiors and Insubordination	1,645	1,751	1,622	1,446	1,529	1,589	1,367	1,781	2,047	1,953	1,364	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Violence and disobedience to Superiors	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,650	1,385	1,611	1,560	2,001	2,074	2,125	2,198	1,865
Disobedience	215	275	273	241	256	251	263	326	318	319	1,460	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Minor insubordination and neglect of orders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,472	1,494	1,454	1,612	1,816	1,921	2,083	2,106	1,895
Quitting or Sleeping on Post	427	444	393	420	480	494	466	508	588	640	600	681	620	617	574	591	573	377	407	371
Drunk on Duty under Arms	1,428	1,435	1,232	1,218	1,416	1,457	1,458	1,520	1,624	1,895	2,264	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drunk on duty	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,661	2,210	1,881	1,621	1,553	1,419	1,031	1,276	1,103
Drunkenness	2,175	2,347	2,226	2,071	2,418	2,378	2,415	2,550	2,477	2,526	1,884	2,147	1,719	1,568	1,481	1,749	1,772	1,468	1,305	1,086
Disgraceful Conduct	727	729	733	728	800	760	861	1,039	1,042	1,061	773	660	527	538	625	932	1,026	1,301	944	769
Absence without Leave	2,992	3,340	3,392	2,909	3,151	3,219	2,730	3,347	3,803	2,903	2,948	3,293	2,623	2,492	2,261	2,343	2,120	2,208	2,062	1,883
Making away with Necessaries	2,504	2,639	2,862	2,662	3,874	4,156	4,424	5,276	5,617	4,440	3,451	3,768	2,919	2,555	2,913	3,504	3,822	3,509	3,493	3,006
Miscellaneous	2,762	2,814	2,769	2,623	3,314	3,599	3,802	4,468	4,921	3,873	4,065	4,181	3,001	3,743	2,762	2,742	2,948	2,143	2,291	2,079
Total of Offences	16,398	17,910	17,925	16,688	19,930	20,428	20,562	24,199	25,701	23,064	21,793	23,307	19,811	18,515	17,735	20,457	21,114	18,701	18,628	16,443
Per-centage to average strength	9	10	10	9	11	12	12	13	13	12	12	13	11	11	11	11	11	9	9	8

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TABLE 46—*continued.*—Sentences awarded.

	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.
Death	—	—	1	3	3	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	2	2	3	1	2
Penal Servitude	50	55	61	55	62	62	50	51	44	58	69	104	149	110	44	42	46	19	26	6
Reduction to the Ranks	2,639	2,590	2,149	2,140	2,119	2,089	2,090	2,127	2,100	2 327	3,035	3,228	2,269	2,174	1,795	1,790	1,794	1,544	1,597	1,478
Reduction to the Ranks and Imprisonment			196	206	240	232	235	326	359	368	595	501	385	360	241	216	177	170	133	127
Corporal Punishment	1	—	—	5	3	—	2	—	29	545	25	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corporal Punishment and Imprisonment	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	50	13	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To be put under stoppages, without other punishment	130	184	97	123	96	116	89	98	182	103	42	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	51	29	35	45	26	48	71	34
Solitary Confinement	3	3	15	3	6	4	2	5	9	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Solitary Confinement and Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	251	843	304	211	159	110	152	178	190	213	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Summary Punishment under Sec. 44 (Part 5), Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	-	3	3	—	—	12	—	3	—	—
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	9,952	11,325	11,164	10,451	11,120	10,833	10,810	12,723	13,281	11,541	11,118	12,166	10,913	10,254	10,150	11,922	12,045	10,133	10,110	8,956
Discharged with ignominy, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	4	1
Total of Sentences	13,027	14,500	13,987	13,197	13,817	13,447	13,430	15,511	16,198	15,209	14,897	16,173	13,772	12,928	12,268	14.029	14,090	11,920	11,942	10,604
Acquitted	293	379	302	292	237	249	221	280	302	299	344	349	266	263	225	251	311	299	246	269

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TABLE 46.—*continued.*—Punishments inflicted.

	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.
Death	—	—	1	3	3	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	1	1	1	2
Penal Servitude	46	51	61	52	61	58	49	46	40	54	63	92	142	99	35	37	39	20	14	5
Reduction to the Ranks	2,375	2,324	1,941	1,920	1,884	1,864	1,865	1,919	1,913	2,115	2,877	3,084	2,141	2,079	1,699	1,708	1,695	1,417	1,496	1,393
Reduction to the Ranks and Imprisonment			163	155	206	190	201	271	298	293	522	531	326	313	197	162	148	160	105	105
Corporal Punishment	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	25	425	21	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corporal Punishment and Imprisonment	*1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	36	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Put under stoppages without other punishment	140	190	104	130	102	119	104	106	192	131	54	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine, or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	59	35	44	51	25	54	76	41
Solitary Confinement	3	3	14	1	6	2	2	5	7	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Solitary Confinement and Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	221	334	290	205	152	109	147	170	141	135	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Summary Punishment under sec. 44 (para. 5), Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	—	—	12	—	3	—	—
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	9,818	11,229	11,057	10,376	11,030	10,753	10,723	12,634	13,256	11,557	11,016	12,067	10,836	10,176	10,098	11,839	11,972	10,032	10,016	8,877
Discharged with ignominy without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	1	—	1	3	1
Total of Punishments	12,604	14,131	13,631	12,944	13,444	13,096	13,091	15,154	15,876	14,750	14,565	15,867	13,510	12,703	12,076	13,811	13,880	11,688	11,711	10,424
Per-centage to average strength	7	8	7	7	7	7	7	8	8	8	8	9	7	7	7	7	7	6	6	5
Pardoned, Sentence wholly remitted, or Sentence quashed	416	362	340	349	369	346	338	355	322	456	327	305	201	221	174	218	209	232	231	181
Percentage to number of Non-commissioned Officers. Reduction	10	10	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	9	12	12·5	9·	8·8	7·1	7·	6·9	5·8	6·0	5·6
Reduction and Imprisonment.			·7	·7	1	·8	·9	1	1	1	2	2·1	1·4	1·3	·8	·7	·6	·6	·4	·4

By the Mutiny Act of 1867 the infliction of Corporal Punishment was restricted in time of peace to the crimes of Mutiny and Violence to Superiors, and by the Mutiny Act of 1868 this punishment was abolished, "except on Active Service or on board a Ship not in Commission."

* On board ship.

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TABLE 47.—NUMBER of GENERAL, DISTRICT, and REGIMENTAL COURTS-MARTIAL at home and abroad from 1870 to 1889, and the proportion per 1,000 of the average strength.

Years.	Number of Courts-Martial.						Proportion per 1,000 men.		
	General.	District or Garrison.	Regimental or Detachment.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.
1870	91	6,379	6,851	6,837	6,484	13,321	80	75	77
1871	91	7,303	7,488	9,497	5,385	14,882	94	65	81
1872	99	7,532	6,659	9,314	4,976	14,290	93	59	78
1873	88	7,220	6,183	8,420	5,071	13,491	88	60	76
1874	105	7,740	6,215	9,240	4,820	14,060	99	57	79
1875	93	7,724	5,884	9,132	4,569	13,701	98	54	77
1876	79	7,746	5,832	8,957	4,700	13,657	96	56	77
1877	88	9,156	6,549	10,879	4,914	15,793	111	58	87
1878	90	9,452	6,958	11,751	4,749	16,500	114	56	88
1879	99	9,132	6,281	9,725	5,787	15,512	115	59	85
1880	131	8,160	6,951	9,108	6,134	15,242	104	66	84
1881	179	8,549	7,795	9,421	7,102	16,523	107	76	91
1882	222	7,133	6,683	8,472	5,566	14,038	94	61	77
1883	153	6,694	6,344	7,541	5,650	13,191	88	64	76
1884	71	6,794	5,628	7,122	5,371	12,493	83	63	73
1885	63	8,468	5,749	7,790	6,490	14,280	88	64	76
1886	68	8,902	5,431	7,798	6,603	14,401	83	65	74
1887	43	6,969	5,207	6,496	5,723	12,219	63	58	61
1888	28	6,816	5,344	6,398	5,790	12,188	62	57	59
1889	22	6,121	4,730	5,773	5,100	10,873	57	51	54

TABLE 48.—NUMBER of MINOR PUNISHMENTS inflicted by order of Commanding Officers at home and abroad, in each year from 1870 to 1889, and the proportion per 1,000 of the average strength.

Year.	Number of Minor Punishments.			Proportion per 1,000 men.		
	Home.	Abroad.	Total.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.
1870	130,939	95,189	226,128	1,543	1,107	1,324
1871	179,754	91,725	271,479	1,782	1,111	1,473
1872	159,405	89,774	249,179	1,605	1,072	1,361
1873	148,022	87,315	235,337	1,545	1,040	1,310
1874	162,484	92,833	255,317	1,745	1,092	1,433
1875	164,108	87,884	251,992	1,768	1,049	1,427
1876	163,538	91,693	255,231	1,763	1,098	1,448
1877	180,406	102,281	282,687	1,848	1,205	1,549
1878	188,657	96,388	285,045	1,827	1,146	1,521
1879	143,950	108,346	252,296	1,706	1,109	1,386
1880	127,176	88,857	216,033	1,448	952	1,192
1881	127,585	97,096	224,681	1,449	1,042	1,240
1882	142,617	98,976	241,593	1,585	1,082	1,331
1883	140,131	95,385	236,016	1,630	1,087	1,355
1884	148,946	101,779	250,725	1,732	1,209	1,473
1885	154,026	129,982	284,008	1,751	1,290	1,505
1886	146,044	123,207	269,251	1,553	1,216	1,378
1887	130,816	118,632	249,448	1,276	1,197	1,237
1888	120,541	115,660	236,201	1,174	1,152	1,163
1889	114,783	108,927	223,710	1,130	1,084	1,107

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TABLE 49.—NUMBER of MEN FINED for DRUNKENNESS in each year from 1870 to 1889, total number of FINES inflicted, and proportion of FINES per 1,000 MEN of the average strength.

YEAR.	NUMBER OF MEN FINED.																	Number of fines inflicted.	Proportion of fines per 1,000 men.	YEAR.
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Seven times.	Eight times.	Nine times.	Ten times.	Eleven times.	Twelve times.	Thirteen times.	Fourteen times.	Fifteen times.	Sixteen times.	Total of men fined.			
1870	}							Not reported.									} 31,134	48,458	284	1870
1871	}																} 35,267	54,398	296	1871
1872	13,785	5,834	3,081	1,794	798	398	237	112	44	16	8	2	—	2	—	—	26,111	51,501	281	1872
1873	12,516	5,123	2,726	1,575	831	406	219	101	52	25	15	6	5	3	—	—	23,603	47,234	263	1873
1874	12,760	5,421	2,965	1,600	902	476	224	98	56	34	18	2	4	—	—	—	24,560	49,733	279	1874
1875	12,352	5,539	2,970	1,574	813	417	198	73	38	17	13	2	1	—	1	—	24,008	47,880	271	1875
1876	12,490	5,560	2,949	1,594	886	474	241	107	50	15	12	5	—	—	—	—	24,383	49,442	280	1876
1877	13,970	5,697	3,013	1,594	813	426	213	100	43	18	12	8	2	—	—	—	25,909	50,512	277	1877
1878	13,912	5,630	2,968	1,487	763	422	206	84	52	21	10	7	1	3	—	—	25,566	49,412	267	1878
1879	13,258	4,866	2,637	1,316	666	321	145	64	20	17	3	1	1	—	—	1	23,316	43,372	236	1879
1880	12,332	4,929	2,457	1,221	591	304	127	53	9	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	22,029	40,684	225	1880
1881	12,931	5,242	2,664	1,365	698	358	129	56	20	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	23,470	44,108	243	1881
1882	13,041	5,248	2,727	1,423	692	300	135	47	18	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	23,637	44,214	244	1882
1883	11,617	4,762	2,486	1,309	689	342	133	40	20	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	21,402	40,799	234	1883
1884	10,599	4,662	2,553	1,418	779	379	180	57	29	6	3	1	—	—	—	—	20,666	41,505	242	1884
1885	11,671	5,371	2,991	1,638	822	460	202	92	43	26	4	2	1	1	—	—	*23,324	47,699	253	1885
1886	11,940	5,308	2,916	1,595	802	446	193	81	36	14	3	—	—	—	—	—	23,334	46,866	240	1886
1887	10,432	4,894	2,635	1,436	851	494	214	118	29	13	3	2	1	—	—	—	21,122	43,991	218	1887
1888	9,838	4,466	2,413	1,370	745	333	176	78	33	14	5	2	1	—	—	—	19,474	39,598	195	1888
1889	8,766	4,052	2,162	1,271	644	313	162	69	20	13	3	—	—	—	—	—	17,475	35,567	176	1889

* In the case of one man who deserted the fine was not paid.

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TABLE 50.—NUMBER of MEN serving on the 1st January 1890. who were in possession of Good Conduct Medals, showing the different ranks, and the number in each arm of the service.

Corps.	Medals and Annuities.	Medals and Gratuities.				Medals without Gratuities.			
		Sergeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1	6	1	24	31	16	—	—	16
Cavalry of the Line	—	42	17	40	99	115	—	—	115
Royal Artillery	—	57	62	237	356	157	—	—	157
Royal Engineers	—	19	19	31	69	139	—	—	139
Foot Guards	—	7	6	33	46	21	—	—	21
Infantry of the Line	1	85	42	450	577	321	—	1	322
Colonial Corps	—	7	1	15	23	4	—	—	4
Army Service Corps	—	—	4	13	17	38	—	—	38
Ordnance Store Corps	—	2	1	7	10	14	—	—	14
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
Medical Staff Corps	—	2	8	13	23	18	—	—	18
General Total	2	227	161	863	1,251	845	—	1	846

TABLE 37.—NUMBER of MEN serving on the 1st January 1890 who were in possession of Good Conduct Badges, showing the several arms of the service, and the number of badges.

Corps.	One badge.	Two badges.	Three badges.	Four badges.	Five badges.	Six badges.	Total.
Household Cavalry	384	225	42	46	1	1	699
Cavalry of the Line	6,088	1,129	197	117	20	3	7,554
Royal Artillery	10,397	3,023	659	542	114	59	14,794
Royal Engineers	1,930	398	71	45	20	2	2,466
Foot Guards	1,813	436	59	66	13	4	2,391
Infantry of the Line	44,313	13,372	1,107	1,006	214	40	60,052
Colonial Corps	663	263	32	35	12	6	1,011
Army Service Corps	781	104	31	24	4	—	944
Ordnance Store Corps	290	44	7	13	3	1	358
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	40	13	—	4	—	—	57
Medical Staff Corps	840	105	35	52	4	1	1,037
General Total	67,539	19,112	2,240	1,950	405	117	91,363

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TABLE 52.—PAST SERVICES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the different arms on the 1st January 1890, at Home, in the Colonies, and in India.

Corps.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	13 to 14 years.	14 to 15 years.	15 to 16 years.	16 to 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	Over 21 years.	Not reported.	Total.
AT HOME.																								
Household Cavalry	154	90	99	99	102	121	81	59	63	53	62	49	29	34	14	16	14	15	15	20	10	9	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line	2,021	1,491	1,338	1,450	955	1,007	708	203	140	163	197	154	93	80	90	118	96	78	104	105	65	79	22	10,667
Royal Artillery	4,270	1,713	1,577	1,502	1,347	1,273	1,043	419	378	418	257	379	178	241	164	212	199	232	288	231	211	393	—	16,925
Royal Engineers	790	655	793	490	387	273	219	136	90	92	83	140	68	72	56	67	68	61	71	77	60	64	—	4,812
Foot Guards	1,087	666	942	423	449	643	736	65	63	58	59	64	41	36	35	34	17	19	18	39	30	37	—	5,564
Infantry of the Line	15,342	7,977	6,680	6,093	4,866	3,560	2,862	1,051	828	742	637	610	417	375	239	259	239	215	403	545	402	612	32	54,090
Army Service Corps	554	376	509	403	204	188	99	65	47	47	52	61	40	42	28	26	9	26	26	72	11	9	—	2,885
Ord. Store Corps	32	50	48	63	93	35	20	16	16	13	10	16	11	10	11	4	1	6	6	21	3	5	—	495
Corps of Armourers	15	—	4	8	4	3	3	5	6	7	5	8	4	13	10	4	2	7	9	9	6	19	—	151
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	4	8	6	1	5	3	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	40
Medical Staff Corps	324	133	236	270	168	160	93	51	37	54	44	65	28	16	15	39	44	17	35	48	12	12	—	1,901
Total	24,593	13,069	12,223	10,802	8,585	7,266	5,874	2,070	1,663	1,647	1,406	1,546	909	919	662	779	689	677	975	1,169	820	1,239	54	99,647
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.																								
Cavalry of the Line	31	76	59	166	75	67	62	41	9	15	13	14	7	4	4	—	2	4	2	4	1	7	5	668
Royal Artillery	338	390	694	712	753	438	384	215	135	76	46	46	28	31	16	28	15	19	22	18	17	18	—	4,441
Royal Engineers	—	53	197	128	241	186	107	60	32	34	22	31	22	19	19	16	24	25	16	18	6	8	—	1,264
Infantry of the Line	437	2,285	3,192	3,235	3,713	2,994	2,354	680	325	277	236	201	107	112	56	68	43	45	47	62	48	31	99	20,647
Colonial Corps	284	214	337	373	255	143	263	89	125	44	42	35	15	9	5	10	12	16	17	21	17	49	—	2,375
Army Service Corps	1	1	11	12	19	36	13	24	7	6	8	7	6	7	5	—	—	3	4	6	2	—	—	178
Ord. Store Corps	1	4	22	16	34	23	18	9	5	3	11	4	7	5	8	3	2	4	1	4	1	1	—	186
Corps of Armourers	—	1	2	1	1	2	3	3	5	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	—	38
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	4	2	8	11	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	29
Medical Staff Corps	6	22	70	72	113	61	30	9	10	13	16	9	4	2	5	4	5	4	3	8	1	—	—	467
Total	1,098	3,046	4,588	4,717	5,212	3,961	3,239	1,130	653	469	396	348	198	191	120	130	105	122	113	143	94	116	104	30,293
IN INDIA.																								
Cavalry of the Line	122	387	622	1,274	1,034	758	433	231	83	76	87	96	74	40	34	37	24	24	26	21	11	20	16	5,530
Royal Artillery	295	1,388	1,706	1,949	1,672	1,539	1,068	802	294	261	236	288	140	147	83	105	73	75	104	68	39	49	—	12,372
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	3
Infantry of the Line	530	3,181	5,460	8,320	9,493	8,646	8,779	3,415	1,060	1,590	925	667	409	224	164	167	138	115	145	210	113	111	50	53,918
Corps of Armourers	—	7	5	6	7	4	7	4	11	7	6	3	1	2	3	1	1	1	3	1	2	3	—	85
Total	947	4,963	7,793	11,549	12,212	10,947	10,287	4,452	1,448	1,934	1,254	1,054	625	413	285	310	236	215	278	301	165	174	66	71,908
General Total	23,638	21,078	24,604	27,074	26,009	22,174	19,400	7,652	3,769	4,050	3,056	2,948	1,732	1,523	1,067	1,219	1,030	1,014	1,366	1,613	1,079	1,529	224	201,848

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TABLE 52—*continued.*—PAST SERVICES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

Corps.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	13 to 14 years.	14 to 15 years.	15 to 16 years.	16 to 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	Over 21 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	154	90	99	99	102	121	81	59	63	53	62	49	29	34	14	16	14	15	15	20	19	9	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line	2,174	1,864	2,019	2,890	2,064	1,832	1,203	475	232	254	297	264	174	124	128	155	122	103	132	130	77	106	43	16,865
Royal Artillery	4,903	3,491	3,977	4,163	3,772	3,250	2,497	1,436	807	755	539	713	346	419	263	345	287	326	414	317	267	451	—	33,738
Royal Engineers	790	708	990	618	628	459	326	196	122	126	105	171	91	91	76	83	92	86	87	90	66	72	—	6,079
Foot Guards	1,087	666	942	426	449	643	736	65	63	58	59	64	41	36	35	34	17	19	18	30	30	37	—	5,564
Infantry of the Line	16,309	13,443	15,332	17,651	18,078	15,200	13,995	5,146	2,213	2,609	1,798	1,478	933	711	459	494	420	376	595	817	563	754	181	129,555
Colonial Corps	284	214	337	373	255	143	263	89	125	44	42	35	15	9	5	10	12	16	17	21	17	49	—	2,375
Army Service Corps	555	377	511	415	223	224	112	89	54	53	60	63	46	49	33	26	9	29	30	78	13	9	—	3,063
Ord. Store Corps	33	54	70	79	132	58	38	25	21	16	21	20	18	15	19	7	3	10	7	25	4	6	—	681
Corps of Armourers	15	8	11	15	12	9	13	12	22	15	13	12	7	17	15	6	4	10	13	12	9	24	—	274
Corps of Ordinance Artificers	4	8	10	3	13	14	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	1	—	—	69
Medical Staff Corps	330	155	306	342	231	221	123	60	47	67	60	74	32	18	20	43	40	21	38	56	13	12	—	2,368
General Total	26,638	21,078	24,901	27,074	26,009	22,174	19,400	7,652	3,769	4,050	3,056	2,948	1,732	1,523	1,067	1,219	1,030	1,014	1,366	1,613	1,079	1,529	224	201,848

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TABLE 53.—PAST SERVICES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the different arms at Home, in the Colonies, and in India, on the 1st January 1890, who were enlisted for Short Service, showing the number serving under their original engagement, and the number who have extended their service.

Corps.	Under Original Engagements.										Number who have extended their service.													Total.
	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 and upwards.	Total.	Under 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	Total.	
AT HOME.																								
Cavalry of the Line	1,956	1,351	1,295	1,402	919	943	610	55	8	8,539	—	—	3	10	21	44	103	110	100	111	65	—	567	9,106
Royal Artillery	4,053	1,515	1,446	1,317	1,180	1,063	830	71	2	11,477	—	—	65	70	99	125	282	277	246	143	155	—	1,462	12,939
Royal Engineers	708	592	745	452	339	229	173	27	—	3,265	—	4	4	12	14	24	87	79	78	50	79	—	431	3,696
Foot Guards	952	442	510	13	15	17	248	—	—	2,197	290	397	378	408	593	434	44	37	41	32	33	—	2,687	4,884
Infantry of the Line	14,862	7,545	6,307	5,650	4,479	3,136	2,289	374	73	44,715	13	29	75	97	124	281	474	569	522	394	315	23	2,916	47,631
Army Service Corps	545	366	476	388	197	171	74	2	—	2,219	1	2	1	—	9	18	55	34	40	27	25	—	212	2,431
Ordnance Store Corps	30	40	47	62	93	27	12	—	—	311	—	—	—	—	4	6	15	11	9	1	2	—	48	359
Medical Staff Corps	300	109	199	263	165	136	58	2	—	1,232	40	26	—	2	17	32	46	32	45	26	24	—	290	1,522
Total	23,406	11,960	11,025	9,547	7,387	5,722	4,294	531	83	73,955	344	458	526	599	881	964	1,106	1,149	1,081	784	698	23	8,613	82,568
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.																								
Cavalry of the Line	30	76	59	165	70	65	53	35	—	553	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	4	3	10	5	3	28	581
Royal Artillery	336	385	673	640	630	321	289	98	22	3,394	—	—	49	99	89	71	93	83	55	24	20	—	583	3,977
Royal Engineers	—	50	186	116	231	179	97	13	—	872	—	—	—	1	1	5	39	28	24	11	16	—	125	997
Infantry of the Line	397	2,186	3,076	3,125	3,582	2,852	2,157	512	—	17,887	—	3	11	25	42	103	138	186	179	131	99	12	929	18,816
Colonial Corps	76	60	137	38	17	—	1	—	—	329	—	—	—	—	3	2	2	6	—	2	3	1	19	348
Army Service Corps	1	1	8	11	19	32	11	10	—	93	—	3	1	—	3	2	13	5	5	6	4	—	42	135
Ordnance Store Corps	1	4	22	15	33	20	12	2	—	109	—	—	—	1	2	5	5	4	—	—	—	—	17	126
Medical Staff Corps	2	19	62	71	108	49	17	1	—	329	7	8	1	3	10	11	5	9	10	9	4	—	77	406
Total	843	2,781	4,223	4,181	4,690	3,518	2,637	671	22	23,566	7	14	62	129	150	200	297	325	276	193	151	16	1,820	25,386
IN INDIA.																								
Cavalry of the Line	148	402	729	1,169	1,004	698	362	149	—	4,661	—	—	—	—	2	26	56	55	56	66	44	2	307	4,968
Royal Artillery	281	1,353	1,677	1,008	1,539	1,356	872	477	9	9,477	—	—	13	90	107	110	236	158	135	98	118	4	1,069	10,546
Infantry of the Line	436	3,045	5,313	8,129	9,241	8,281	8,149	2,349	—	44,943	5	6	24	79	133	400	874	853	1,339	645	272	11	4,641	49,584
Total	865	4,805	7,719	11,206	11,784	10,335	9,383	2,975	9	59,081	5	6	37	169	242	536	1,166	1,066	1,530	809	434	17	6,017	65,098
General Total	25,114	19,546	22,967	24,934	23,861	19,575	16,314	4,177	114	156,602	356	478	625	897	1,273	1,700	2,569	2,540	2,887	1,786	1,283	56	16,450	173,052

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TABLE 53—*continued.*—PAST SERVICES of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

Corps.	Under Original Engagement.										Number who have extended their Service.												Total.
	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	Over 8 years.	Total.	Under 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	Over 12 years.	Total.	
Cavalry of the Line	2,134	1,829	2,083	2,736	1,993	1,706	1,025	239	8	13,753	—	—	3	10	23	71	161	169	159	187	114	5	902	14,655
Royal Artillery -	4,670	3,258	3,796	3,865	3,349	2,740	1,901	646	33	24,348	—	—	127	259	295	306	611	518	436	265	293	4	3,114	27,462
Royal Engineers -	708	642	931	568	570	408	270	40	—	4,137	—	4	4	13	15	29	126	107	102	61	95	—	556	4,693
Foot Guards - -	932	442	510	13	15	17	248	—	—	2,197	290	397	378	408	593	434	44	37	41	32	33	—	2,687	4,884
Infantry of the Line	15,695	12,776	14,696	16,904	17,302	14,269	12,595	3,235	73	107,545	18	38	110	201	299	784	1,486	1,608	2,040	1,170	686	46	8,486	116,031
Colonal Corps - -	76	60	137	38	17	—	1	—	—	329	—	—	—	—	3	2	2	6	—	2	3	1	19	348
Army Service Corps	546	307	484	309	216	203	85	12	—	2,312	1	5	2	—	12	20	68	39	45	33	29	—	254	2,566
Ordnance Store Corps	31	44	69	77	126	47	24	2	—	420	—	—	—	1	6	11	20	15	9	1	2	—	65	485
Medical Staff Corps	302	128	261	334	273	185	75	3	—	1,561	47	34	1	5	27	43	51	41	55	35	28	—	367	1,928
Total - -	25,114	19,546	22,967	24,934	23,861	19,575	16,314	4,177	114	156,602	356	478	625	897	1,273	1,700	2,569	2,540	2,887	1,786	1,283	56	16,450	173,052

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TABLE 54.—TERMS of ENGAGEMENT of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the different arms on the 1st January 1890, at Home, in the Colonies, and in India.

Corps.	Long Service.										Short Service.										Not reported.	Total.
	1st Period.					Re-engaged Men.					Original Engagements.					Men who have extended their Service.						
	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.		
AT HOME.																						
Household Cavalry	80	18	42	893	1,033	78	6	6	94	184	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line	67	128	26	351	572	505	10	105	347	967	134	8	409	7,988	8,539	238	3	88	238	567	22	10,667
Royal Artillery	90	197	156	1,047	1,490	790	7	348	1,351	2,496	50	1	530	10,896	11,477	258	3	264	937	1,462	—	16,925
Royal Engineers	23	79	48	256	406	413	—	135	162	710	41	—	273	2,951	3,265	107	—	142	182	431	—	4,812
Foot Guards	22	106	12	211	351	128	2	19	180	329	8	1	15	2,173	2,197	142	14	244	2,287	2,687	—	5,564
Infantry of the Line	123	716	185	2,391	3,415	1,496	60	404	1,952	3,912	838	227	2,380	41,270	44,715	927	185	317	1,487	2,916	32	54,990
Army Service Corps	28	37	4	53	122	210	—	48	74	332	50	—	182	1,987	2,219	98	—	66	48	212	—	2,885
Ordnance Store Corps	5	4	7	32	48	56	—	8	24	88	—	—	15	296	311	4	—	27	17	48	—	495
Corps of Armourers	63	—	—	5	68	83	—	—	—	83	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	151
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	37	—	—	—	37	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	40
Medical Staff Corps	6	11	10	31	58	144	—	74	103	321	9	—	66	1,157	1,232	99	—	74	117	290	—	1,901
Total	544	1,296	490	5,270	7,600	3,906	85	1,147	4,287	9,425	1,130	237	3,870	68,718	73,955	1,873	205	1,222	5,313	8,613	54	99,647
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.																						
Cavalry of the Line	2	9	4	27	42	24	—	6	10	40	18	—	32	503	553	17	—	2	9	28	5	668
Royal Artillery	24	51	38	130	243	121	—	24	76	221	24	—	142	3,228	3,394	99	—	98	386	583	—	4,441
Royal Engineers	10	26	18	23	77	141	—	22	27	190	34	—	149	689	872	47	—	38	40	125	—	1,264
Infantry of the Line	41	205	67	719	1,032	291	8	79	322	700	377	102	683	16,725	17,887	347	57	102	423	929	99	20,647
Colonial Corps	67	45	111	1,609	1,832	63	1	26	105	195	10	1	17	301	329	19	—	—	—	19	—	2,375
Army Service Corps	4	—	3	—	7	28	—	6	2	36	—	—	22	71	93	18	—	13	11	42	—	178
Ordnance Store Corps	3	—	4	6	13	37	—	6	4	47	—	—	13	96	109	2	—	10	5	17	—	186
Corps of Armourers	22	—	—	—	22	16	—	—	—	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	38
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	28	—	—	—	28	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29
Medical Staff Corps	2	—	2	9	13	35	—	9	4	48	5	—	26	298	329	31	—	17	29	77	—	467
Total	203	336	247	2,523	3,309	757	9	178	550	1,494	468	103	1,084	21,911	23,566	580	57	280	903	1,820	104	30,293
IN INDIA.																						
Cavalry of the Line	31	59	18	125	233	196	1	39	77	313	64	5	179	4,413	4,661	119	3	51	134	307	16	5,530
Royal Artillery	57	158	113	520	848	453	9	179	337	978	54	5	500	8,918	9,477	173	1	198	697	1,069	—	12,372
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Infantry of the Line	94	348	113	1,560	2,115	903	28	232	1,006	2,169	497	238	1,337	42,871	44,943	855	174	397	3,215	4,641	50	53,918
Corps of Armourers	66	—	—	1	67	18	—	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	85
Total	248	565	244	2,206	3,263	1,573	38	450	1,420	3,481	615	248	2,016	56,202	59,081	1,147	178	646	4,046	6,017	66	71,908
General Total	995	2,197	981	9,999	14,172	6,236	132	1,775	6,257	14,400	2,213	588	6,970	146,831	156,602	3,000	440	2,148	10,262	16,450	224	201,848

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TABLE 54—*continued.*—TERMS of ENGAGEMENT of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

Corps.	Long Service.										Short Service.										Total.
	1st Period.				Re-engaged Men.						Original Engagements.				Men who have extended their Service.					Not reported.	
	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.		
Household Cavalry -	80	18	42	893	1,033	78	6	6	94	184	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line -	100	196	48	503	847	725	11	150	434	1,320	216	13	620	12,904	13,753	374	6	141	381	902	16,365
Royal Artillery -	171	406	307	1,617	2,581	1,364	16	551	1,764	3,695	123	6	1,172	23,042	24,343	530	4	560	2,020	3,114	33,738
Royal Engineers -	33	105	66	279	483	557	—	157	189	903	75	—	422	3,040	4,137	154	—	180	222	556	6,079
Foot Guards - -	22	106	12	211	351	128	2	19	180	329	8	1	15	2,173	2,197	142	14	244	2,287	2,687	5,564
Infantry of the Line -	258	1,269	365	4,670	6,562	2,690	96	715	3,280	6,781	1,712	567	4,400	100,866	107,545	2,120	416	516	5,125	8,486	129,555
Colonial Corps - -	67	45	111	1,609	1,832	63	1	26	105	195	10	1	17	301	329	19	—	—	—	19	2,375
Army Service Corps -	32	37	7	53	129	238	—	54	76	368	50	—	204	2,058	2,312	116	—	79	59	254	3,063
Ordnance Store Corps -	8	4	11	38	61	93	—	14	28	135	—	—	28	392	420	6	—	37	22	65	681
Corps of Armourers -	151	—	—	6	157	117	—	—	—	117	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	274
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	65	—	—	—	65	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	69
Medical Staff Corps -	8	11	12	40	71	179	—	83	107	369	14	—	92	1,455	1,561	130	—	91	146	367	2,368
Total - -	995	2,107	981	9,999	14,172	6,236	132	1,775	6,257	14,400	2,213	588	6,970	146,831	156,602	3,600	440	2,148	10,262	16,450	201,848

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TABLE 55.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the number of men in possession of GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1890.

Date.	Medals and Annuities.	Medals and Gratuities.				Medals without Gratuities.				Year.
		Serjeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.	Serjeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.	
1st January 1873 - -	8	695	83	537	1,315	96	28	208	332	1873
1st January 1874 - -	8	698	98	670	1,466	99	23	220	342	1874
1st January 1875 - -	9	667	87	682	1,436	106	19	294	419	1875
1st January 1876 - -	7	526	84	579	1,189	96	18	187	301	1876
1st January 1877 -	9	1,612	342	2,223	4,177	—	—	—	—	1877
1st January 1878 - -	5	1,580	305	2,282	4,167	—	—	—	—	1878
1st January 1879 - -	5	1,678	321	2,262	4,261	—	—	—	—	1879
1st January 1880 - -	13	1,607	259	2,012	3,878	—	—	—	—	1880
1st January 1881 - -	9	1,382	223	1,454	3,059	—	—	—	—	1881
1st January 1882 - -	12	1,116	161	937	2,214	—	—	—	—	1882
1st January 1883 - -	3	996	133	822	1,951	—	—	—	—	1883
1st January 1884 - -	4	961	136	888	1,985	—	—	—	—	1884
1st January 1885 - -	7	915	163	934	2,012	—	—	—	—	1885
1st January 1886 - -	6	911	140	1,039	2,090	—	—	—	—	1886
1st January 1887 - -	6	283	159	1,046	1,488	534	—	2	536	1887
1st January 1888 - -	4	442	136	1,002	1,580	500	—	2	502	1888
1st January 1889 - -	3	294	145	815	1,254	632	—	1	633	1889
1st January 1890 - -	2	227	161	863	1,251	845	—	1	846	1890

N.B. —By Royal Warrant of 14th August 1875, the regulations for the issue of Good Conduct Medals were revised, and the grant of Medals without Gratuities was discontinued, but was revived by Royal Warrant of 9th May 1885, to Non-Commissioned Officers only.

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TABLE 56.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the number of men in possession of GOOD CONDUCT BADGES on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1890.

Date.	One Badge.	Two Badges.	Three Badges.	Four Badges.	Five Badges.	Six Badges.	Total.	Year.
1st January 1873 - -	39,988	22,752	18,378	4,893	284	116	86,411	1873
1st January 1874 - -	41,584	22,736	17,187	6,485	215	8	88,215	1874
1st January 1875 - -	40,543	23,030	14,979	8,026	199	14	86,791	1875
1st January 1876 - -	40,146	22,697	13,910	8,881	316	13	85,963	1876
1st January 1877 - -	37,708	24,461	11,290	9,488	489	9	83,445	1877
1st January 1878 - -	34,697	25,707	9,849	9,738	308	11	80,310	1878
1st January 1879 - -	36,815	24,712	8,995	8,339	379	18	79,258	1879
1st January 1880 - -	41,550	23,926	9,072	6,612	565	25	81,750	1880
1st January 1881 - -	45,181	22,509	9,530	4,968	626	36	82,850	1881
1st January 1882 - -	45,722	18,959	8,177	3,582	583	41	77,064	1882
1st January 1883 - -	49,203	18,449	7,758	3,092	455	38	78,995	1883
1st January 1884 - -	43,491	14,808	7,214	3,293	371	44	69,221	1884
1st January 1885 - -	43,403	14,580	6,012	3,313	356	68	67,732	1885
1st January 1886 - -	47,465	15,764	5,271	3,405	345	95	72,345	1886
1st January 1887 - - -	52,376	15,697	4,604	3,558	356	108	76,699	1887
1st January 1888 - -	59,768	17,217	3,529	3,311	378	115	84,318	1888
1st January 1889 - -	67,599	17,590	2,658	2,645	392	106	90,990	1889
1st January 1890 - -	67,539	19,112	2,240	1,950	405	117	91,363	1890

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TABLE 57.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the Past SERVICES of year from

Past Services.	Effectives.							
	1st Jan. 1875.	1st Jan. 1876.	1st Jan. 1877.	1st Jan. 1878.	1st Jan. 1879.	1st Jan. 1880.	1st Jan. 1881.	1st Jan. 1882.
Under 1 year	18,981	16,530	26,418	24,112	23,257	23,258	21,886	22,809
1 to 2 years	13,061	15,104	14,063	22,799	19,021	21,067	20,111	19,497
2 to 3 „ -	12,451	11,699	14,609	13,748	20,565	19,459	19,659	19,286
3 to 4 „ -	15,020	11,825	11,017	13,310	12,075	20,005	18,923	19,619
4 to 5 „ -	16,701	14,297	11,294	10,379	12,402	12,586	18,565	18,402
5 to 6 „ -	7,924	15,358	13,919	10,466	10,140	11,477	11,537	15,630
6 to 7 „ -	9,446	7,726	13,133	9,727	6,105	6,297	6,826	6,546
7 to 8 „ -	9,421	8,710	6,672	11,529	8,068	5,401	4,861	5,452
8 to 9 „ -	6,894	8,615	8,109	6,347	10,274	8,379	4,760	4,639
9 to 10 „ -	6,394	6,787	7,803	7,219	5,710	9,619	7,604	4,700
10 to 11 „ -	4,847	4,557	4,985	6,500	6,459	5,407	8,744	6,935
11 to 12 „	3,894	4,584	3,994	4,269	5,690	6,075	4,827	8,339
12 to 13 „ -	2,791	3,113	3,976	3,447	3,685	4,933	4,862	3,458
13 to 14 „ -	3,838	2,660	2,960	3,510	3,175	3,386	4,392	4,205
14 to 15 „ -	6,399	3,688	2,321	2,810	3,196	3,106	3,297	3,979
15 to 16 „ -	7,912	6,122	3,322	2,137	2,516	3,038	2,829	2,915
16 to 17 „ -	10,301	7,215	5,546	3,032	1,917	2,420	2,948	2,513
17 to 18 „ -	5,928	9,786	6,719	5,263	2,775	2,007	2,259	2,771
18 to 19 „	3,915	5,640	9,194	6,239	4,651	2,882	1,878	2,266
19 to 20 „ -	5,368	3,291	5,096	8,104	5,132	4,146	2,396	1,576
20 to 21 „ -	4,040	5,362	3,214	4,638	6,474	4,810	3,798	2,236
Over 21 „ -	1,074	1,739	1,886	1,243	1,841	2,892	2,859	2,644
Not reported -	1,676	1,448	1,625	1,504	8,939	1,292	1,412	1,325
Total -	178,276	175,856	181,875	182,332	184,067	183,942	181,233	181,742
	Proportion per 1,000 men.							
Under 1 year	107	94	147	133	133	127	122	126
1 to 2 year	74	87	78	126	109	115	112	108
2 to 3 „ -	71	67	81	76	117	107	109	107
3 to 5 „ -	180	150	124	131	140	179	208	211
5 to 11 „ -	254	297	303	286	267	255	247	243
11 to 16 „ -	141	116	92	90	104	112	112	127
Over 16 „ -	173	189	175	158	130	105	90	78

* The increase in the proportion of the number of men having between 5 and 11
Army Reserve mobilised in 1882 not having

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the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the 1st January in each 1875 to 1890.

Effectives.								Past Services.
1st Jan. 1883.	1st Jan. 1884.	1st Jan. 1885.	1st Jan. 1886.	1st Jan. 1887.	1st Jan. 1888.	1st Jan. 1889.	1st Jan. 1890.	
21,039	29,576	31,758	35,083	34,373	28,737	23,040	26,638	Under 1 year.
19,887	18,517	25,911	28,433	31,263	30,478	25,718	21,078	1 to 2 years
18,364	19,484	17,683	24,986	27,213	29,956	29,488	24,604	2 to 3 „
17,915	17,478	18,247	16,325	23,453	25,399	28,313	27,074	3 to 4 „
17,932	16,559	15,726	17,629	16,340	22,286	23,698	26,009	4 to 5 „
16,334	16,149	15,126	15,040	16,118	13,992	20,551	22,174	5 to 6 „
16,196	9,218	9,177	8,474	8,821	11,337	12,496	19,400	6 to 7 „
7,560	6,283	6,671	7,924	6,414	6,527	7,997	7,652	7 to 8 „
5,632	3,687	4,929	5,200	5,543	4,975	4,689	3,769	8 to 9 „
4,617	3,881	3,193	4,585	4,937	4,906	4,345	4,050	9 to 10 „
4,601	3,766	3,685	2,924	4,282	3,951	3,742	3,056	10 to 11 „
6,631	3,805	3,373	3,519	2,781	3,787	3,463	2,948	11 to 12 „
5,034	2,966	1,962	1,724	1,682	1,437	1,939	1,732	12 to 13 „
2,964	3,679	2,294	1,491	1,398	1,390	1,176	1,523	13 to 14 „
3,392	2,426	2,895	2,044	1,323	1,281	1,330	1,067	14 to 15 „
3,527	2,855	2,102	2,740	1,788	1,284	1,108	1,219	15 to 16 „
2,688	3,090	2,632	1,867	2,431	1,638	1,117	1,030	16 to 17 „
2,255	2,415	2,745	2,451	1,748	2,282	1,533	1,014	17 to 18 „
2,273	2,004	2,090	2,456	2,251	1,636	2,018	1,366	18 to 19 „
1,840	2,093	1,830	1,809	2,145	1,850	1,290	1,613	19 to 20 „
1,315	1,593	1,892	1,664	1,656	1,920	1,582	1,079	20 to 21 „
1,847	1,456	1,492	1,528	1,503	1,484	1,598	1,529	Over 21 „
1,675	549	3,595	3,033	1,044	527	530	224	Not reported.
185,518	173,529	181,008	192,929	200,507	203,060	202,761	201,848	Total.
Proportion per 1,000 men.								
114	171	179	185	172	142	114	132	Under 1 year.
108	107	146	150	157	150	127	105	1 to 2 years
100	113	99	131	136	148	146	122	2 to 3 „
195	197	192	179	200	236	257	263	3 to 5 „
*299	248	241	232	231	226	266	298	5 to 11 „
117	91	71	61	45	45	45	42	11 to 16 „
67	73	72	62	59	53	45	38	Over 16 „

years' service is due to the complete demobilisation of the portion of the 1st Class been effected on 1st January 1883.

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TABLE 58---COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the Terms of Engagement of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1890.

Date.	Unlimited Service.					Long Service.										Short Service.										Not reported.	Total.	Year.
						1st Period.					Re-engaged Men.					Original engagements.					Men who have extended their service.							
	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.			
1st January 1873 -	103	12	23	190	328	2,285	2,553	4,807	81,418	91,063	10,104	1,199	5,023	54,801	72,027	11	23	135	17,768	17,937	—	—	—	—	—	1,213	182,568	1873
1st January 1874 -	96	3	7	62	168	2,350	2,427	4,856	73,853	83,486	10,000	1,164	5,535	51,815	68,514	37	72	490	24,233	24,832	—	—	—	—	—	1,337	178,337	1874
1st January 1875 -	50	1	6	35	92	2,434	2,385	4,871	69,302	78,992	9,823	1,112	5,113	47,788	63,836	132	132	1,011	32,405	33 680						1,676	178,276	1875
1st January 1876 -	33	1	3	25	62	2,607	2,367	4,651	61,813	71,438	9,633	1,024	4,835	45,362	60,854	272	262	1,527	39,993	42,054						1,448	175,856	1876
1st January 1877 -	26	—	1	15	42	2,796	2,303	4,496	54,356	63,951	9,304	965	4,661	42,016	56,946	469	324	1,810	56,705	59,308	Included in preceding columns.					1,625	181,875	1877
1st January 1878 -	20	—	—	16	36	2,958	2,280	4,462	48,212	57,921	8,881	901	4,421	38,269	52,472	547	346	2,232	67,274	70,399						1,504	182,332	1878
1st January 1879 -	15	—	1	3	19	2,904	2,088	4,092	41,265	50,349	8,310	838	3,979	32,812	45,969	1,098	451	2,831	74,327	78,707						9,023	184,067	1879
1st January 1880 -	18	—	1	2	21	3,301	2,115	3,801	37,520	46,737	7,775	794	3,628	28,781	40,978	872	494	3,089	84,838	89,293	587	61	366	2,174	3,188	3,725	183,942	1880
1st January 1881 -	11	—	—	1	12	3,038	2,094	3,405	33,428	41,965	7,417	732	3,641	24,976	36,766	1,207	536	3,669	91,746	97,158	785	65	446	2,529	3,825	1,507	181,233	1881
1st January 1882 -	9	—	—	2	11	2,739	2,053	2,959	29,920	37,671	7,536	543	3,492	20,816	32,387	1,472	632	4,078	99,205	105,387	950	89	546	3,119	4,704	1,582	181,742	1882
1st January 1883 -	—	—	—	—	—	2,354	2,065	2,529	24,988	31,936	6,855	420	3,173	17,507	27,955	1,820	775	4,860	110,195	117,650	1,231	101	719	3,948	5,999	1,948	185,518	1883
1st January 1884 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,959	2,072	2,172	18,969	25,172	6,634	369	3,001	15,016	25,020	1,642	703	4,844	103,084	110,273	1,920	174	1,226	9,107	12,427	637	173,529	1884
1st January 1885 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,704	2,054	1,806	16,614	22,178	6,537	270	2,671	12,915	22,393	1,634	734	5,144	109,436	116,948	2,372	193	1,537	11,706	15,808	3,681	181,003	1885
1st January 1886 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,530	2,103	1,593	14,689	19,936	6,361	231	2,310	11,165	20,067	1,716	764	5,635	122,678	130,793	2,879	222	1,823	14,146	19,070	3,033	192,929	1886
1st January 1887 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,399	2,131	1,346	12,992	17,868	6,302	202	2,170	9,687	18,361	1,668	734	5,970	134,384	142,756	3,282	263	2,158	14,775	20,478	1,044	200,507	1887
1st January 1888 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,206	2,175	1,215	11,681	16,277	6,285	184	2,069	8,512	17,050	1,864	697	6,316	140,418	149,295	3,420	346	2,179	13,953	19,898	540	203,060	1888
1st January 1889 -	—	—	—	—	—	992	2,196	1,026	10,735	14,949	6,350	159	1,990	7,361	15,860	2,064	646	6,665	144,257	153,632	3,389	391	2,130	11,881	17,791	529	202,761	1889
1st January 1890 -	—	—	—	—	—	995	2,197	981	9,999	14,172	6,236	132	1,775	6,257	14,400	2,213	588	6,970	146,831	156,602	3,600	440	2,148	10,262	16,450	224	201,848	1890

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PART VI.

AGES, HEIGHTS, AND CHEST MEASUREMENTS.

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PART VI.—AGES, HEIGHTS,

TABLE 59.—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the Colonies and

Corps.	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.
AT HOME.												
Household Cavalry -	4	29	64	76	74	92	109	111	110	86	67	54
Cavalry of the Line -	165	689	1,094	1,078	1,150	973	977	942	802	536	413	297
Royal Artillery -	523	1,650	2,142	1,519	1,357	1,225	1,080	1,036	979	785	669	485
Royal Engineers -	188	173	335	472	403	460	430	371	355	256	217	154
Foot Guards - -	114	271	432	532	528	531	598	619	527	397	235	162
Infantry of the Line	1,409	6,803	8,792	6,972	5,894	5,136	4,058	3,394	2,375	1,940	1,633	992
Army Service Corps -	52	213	273	394	325	314	228	198	151	136	89	70
Ordnance Store Corps	14	9	25	26	46	66	53	81	30	31	18	22
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	2	5	6	7	4	5	6	4
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	3	6	5	3
Medical Staff Corps -	22	119	143	161	153	159	131	127	113	101	83	60
Total - -	2,491	9,956	13,300	11,230	9,932	8,962	7,671	6,838	5,449	4,279	3,435	2,303
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.												
Cavalry of the Line -	5	13	27	55	79	72	111	56	45	63	42	21
Royal Artillery -	30	100	239	281	473	546	508	451	396	320	315	221
Royal Engineers -	25	1	10	48	75	103	132	168	123	112	98	78
Infantry of the Line	274	190	938	1,936	2,513	2,856	3,068	2,599	1,985	1,233	875	592
Colonial Corps -	31	54	95	151	203	226	279	215	192	173	168	125
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	1	9	11	17	16	17	18	16	9
Ordnance Store Corps	—	1	2	6	12	18	24	24	18	11	7	10
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	3	4	5
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	4	2
Medical Staff Corps -	—	2	8	29	36	51	71	59	31	26	23	25
Total - -	365	361	1,319	2,507	3,400	3,883	4,210	3,591	2,810	1,960	1,552	1,088
IN INDIA.												
Cavalry of the Line -	27	59	120	382	621	662	831	695	536	410	285	231
Royal Artillery -	78	80	167	798	1,060	1,381	1,391	1,413	1,363	1,134	881	611
Royal Engineers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line	428	192	631	3,186	4,844	6,403	7,687	7,626	6,247	4,844	3,584	2,480
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	7	2	8	9
Total - -	533	331	918	4,366	6,525	8,446	9,909	9,738	8,153	6,390	4,758	3,331
General Total -	3,389	10,648	15,537	18,103	19,857	21,291	21,790	20,167	16,412	12,629	9,745	6,722
Proportion per 1,000 men - -	17	53	77	90	98	106	108	100	81	63	48	33
				502					250			

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AND CHEST MEASUREMENTS.

several arms of the service on the 1st January 1890, at Home, in the in India.

29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
54	49	52	35	35	19	26	16	13	8	9	24	1	—	1,217
278	205	166	127	123	113	109	90	100	88	50	79	1	22	10,667
391	366	334	293	234	204	229	240	228	235	196	486	39	—	16,925
141	107	92	94	81	68	66	53	62	58	50	125	1	—	4,812
140	95	65	54	43	37	28	25	30	21	25	54	1	—	5,564
835	658	526	411	405	317	318	317	372	379	321	682	19	32	54,990
56	56	47	45	36	31	25	31	40	33	14	28	—	—	2,885
20	12	18	12	4	8	8	5	15	3	4	15	—	—	495
6	4	7	5	6	12	7	8	6	7	4	40	—	—	151
4	3	4	—	3	1	1	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	40
75	68	43	50	43	52	47	33	42	21	24	31	—	—	1,901
2,000	1,623	1,354	1,126	1,013	862	864	818	908	853	698	1,566	62	54	99,647
17	10	8	6	6	3	—	7	6	4	3	4	—	5	668
143	111	54	53	36	30	24	28	19	17	16	29	1	—	4,441
63	47	26	20	23	22	11	12	12	14	12	29	—	—	1,264
425	292	188	132	102	72	63	45	39	43	30	58	—	99	20,647
107	72	59	37	27	18	19	15	17	13	17	62	—	—	2,375
16	11	9	7	2	3	4	2	3	3	1	3	—	—	178
7	7	5	10	5	5	6	4	1	—	1	2	—	—	186
4	2	3	1	1	1	4	1	2	1	—	3	—	—	38
2	6	4	1	1	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29
19	16	19	9	6	7	12	3	5	2	2	6	—	—	467
803	574	375	276	209	165	144	117	104	97	82	196	1	104	30,293
140	95	73	81	82	39	30	24	23	30	14	15	—	16	5,530
448	355	261	166	154	139	121	101	75	61	58	76	—	—	12,372
—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	3
1,632	1,142	799	567	373	284	191	139	177	143	97	169	3	59	55,918
3	6	6	3	7	5	4	4	2	5	2	8	—	—	85
2,223	1,598	1,139	817	616	468	356	268	277	239	172	268	3	66	71,908
5,026	3,795	2,868	2,219	1,838	1,495	1,364	1,203	1,289	1,189	952	2,030	66	224	201,848
25	19	14	11	9	7	7	6	7	6	5	10		—	1,000
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TABLE 59—*continued.*—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

—	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	4	29	64	76	74	92	109	111	110	83	67	54	54	49	52	35	35	19	26	16	13	8	9	24	1	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line	197	761	1,241	1,515	1,850	1,707	1,919	1,693	1,383	1,009	740	549	435	310	247	214	211	155	148	121	129	122	67	98	1	43	16,865
Royal Artillery -	631	1,830	2,518	2,598	2,899	3,152	2,979	2,909	2,738	2,239	1,865	1,317	982	832	649	512	424	373	374	369	322	313	270	591	40	—	33,738
Royal Engineers -	213	174	315	520	478	563	562	539	478	368	315	232	204	154	118	114	104	91	78	65	74	72	63	154	1	—	6,079
Foot Guards - -	114	271	432	532	528	531	598	619	527	397	235	162	110	95	65	54	43	37	28	25	30	21	25	54	1	—	5,564
Infantry of the Line	2,111	7,185	10,361	12,094	13,251	14,395	14,813	13,619	10,607	8,017	6,092	4,064	2,892	2,092	1,513	1,110	880	673	572	501	588	565	448	909	22	181	129,555
Colonial Corps -	31	54	95	151	203	226	279	215	192	173	168	125	107	72	59	37	27	18	19	15	17	13	17	62	—	—	2,375
Army Service Corps	52	213	273	395	334	325	245	214	168	154	105	79	72	67	56	52	38	34	29	33	43	36	15	31	—	—	3,063
OrdnanceStoreCorps	14	10	27	32	58	84	77	55	48	42	25	32	27	19	23	22	9	13	14	9	16	3	5	17	—	—	681
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	2	5	6	13	12	10	18	18	13	12	16	9	14	18	15	13	10	13	6	51	—	—	274
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	3	5	7	9	5	6	9	8	1	4	5	2	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	69
Medical Staff Corps	22	121	151	190	189	210	202	186	144	127	106	85	94	84	62	59	49	59	59	36	47	23	26	37	—	—	2,368
Total - -	3,389	10,648	15,537	18,103	19,857	21,291	21,790	20,167	16,412	12,629	9,745	6,722	5,026	3,795	2,868	2,219	1,838	1,495	1,364	1,203	1,289	1,189	952	2,030	66	224	201,818

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TABLE 60.—HEIGHTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January 1890, showing the several arms of the service.

Corps.	Under 5 feet 5 inches.	5 feet 5 inches and under 5 feet 6 inches.	5 feet 6 inches and under 5 feet 7 inches.	5 feet 7 inches and under 5 feet 8 inches.	5 feet 8 inches and under 5 feet 9 inches.	5 feet 9 inches and under 5 feet 10 inches.	5 feet 10 inches and under 5 feet 11 inches.	5 feet 11 inches and under 6 feet.	6 feet and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	10	16	18	11	13	13	28	361	747	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line	203	456	2,688	4,253	4,324	2,804	1,309	563	222	43	16,865
Royal Artillery	3,571	4,047	5,224	6,577	5,713	4,060	2,462	1,313	771	—	33,738
Royal Engineers	328	421	1,277	1,505	1,005	786	422	205	129	1	6,079
Foot Guards	117	44	40	337	1,416	1,478	1,151	534	447	—	5,564
Infantry of the Line	17,335	27,685	29,539	22,952	14,972	8,787	4,751	2,213	1,147	174	129,555
Colonial Corps	228	306	304	442	374	284	160	131	56	—	2,375
Army Service Corps	924	814	562	364	193	110	55	30	11	—	3,063
Ordnance Store Corps	33	79	138	144	96	87	61	36	7	—	681
Corps of Armourers	20	38	34	38	48	55	13	18	10	—	274
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	4	7	8	8	10	11	6	11	4	—	69
Medical Staff Corps	482	438	498	377	268	152	84	48	21	—	2,368
Total	23,255	34,351	40,420	37,008	28,432	18,627	10,502	5,463	3,572	218	201,848
Proportion per 1,000 men	115	170	200	184	141	93	52	27	18	—	1,000
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TABLE 61.—CHEST MEASUREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January 1890, showing the several arms of the service.

Corps.	Under 33 inches.	33 inches and under 34 inches.	34 inches and under 35 inches.	35 inches and under 36 inches.	36 inches and under 37 inches.	37 inches and under 38 inches.	38 inches and under 39 inches.	39 inches and under 40 inches.	40 inches and over.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry -	8	9	28	79	197	268	283	174	171	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line -	192	379	2,206	2,945	3,680	3,430	2,433	1,028	529	43	16,865
Royal Artillery - -	580	1,147	4,507	5,969	6,724	5,923	4,654	2,466	1,818	—	33,738
Royal Engineers - -	152	153	947	1,080	1,559	1,092	652	259	184	1	6,079
Foot Guards - -	91	90	339	719	1,204	1,275	976	498	372	—	5,564
Infantry of the Line -	2,648	7,098	21,343	28,739	31,075	19,619	11,608	4,512	2,478	435	129,555
Colonial Corps -	92	221	465	468	482	326	207	59	40	15	2,375
Army Service Corps -	79	460	812	669	466	293	150	77	57	—	3,063
Ordnance Store Corps -	12	15	62	136	173	132	75	41	35	—	681
Corps of Armourers -	26	18	48	40	32	40	39	24	7	—	274
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	2	1	9	13	15	16	8	5	—	—	69
Medical Staff Corps -	19	247	585	572	416	212	166	70	81	—	2,368
General Total -	3,851	9,838	31,351	41,429	46,023	32,626	21,251	9,213	5,772	494	201,848
Proportion per 1,000 men	19	49	155	205	229	162	106	46	29	—	1,000
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TABLE 62.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1890.

Years.	Proportion per 1,000 men.							
	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.
1873	20	49	86	317	208	191	107	22
1874	16	35	61	332	221	180	127	28
1875	17	30	50	343	220	156	149	35
1876	17	29	51	341	233	135	152	42
1877	16	39	58	347	242	123	140	35
1878	16	35	65	356	252	117	126	33
1879	16	32	58	375	258	123	102	36
1880	16	30	54	407	257	125	82	29
1881	17	34	53	413	254	130	74	25
1882	17	20*	78*	415	252	129	69	20
1883	15	10	64	427	278	131	61	14
1884	19	36†	64	459	240	108	60	14
1885	19	49	87	450	228	94	59	14
1886	18	53	95	468	220	82	51	13
1887	17	57	94	489	211	71	48	13
1888	17	48	91	497	223	70	41	13
1889	17	41	74	513	244	65	34	12
1890	17	53	77	502	250	60	31	10

	Abstract of the foregoing numbers.		
	Under 20 years.	20 to 30 years.	Over 30 years.
1873	155	525	320
1874	112	553	335
1875	97	563	340
1876	97	574	329
1877	113	589	298
1878	116	608	276
1879	106	633	261
1880	100	664	236
1881	104	667	229
1882	115	667	218
1883	89	705	206
1884	119†	699	182
1885	155	678	167
1886	166	688	146
1887	168	700	132
1888	156	720	124
1889	132	757	111
1890	147	752	101

* By G.O. 82 of 1881 the minimum age of Recruits was raised from 18 to 19 years.

† On 27th April 1883 authority was given to enlist (specially) Recruits at 18 years of age.

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TABLE 63.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the HEIGHTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1890.

Years.	Proportion per 1,000 men.								
	Under 5 ft. 5 in.	5 ft. 5 in. to 5 ft. 6 in.	5 ft. 6 in. to 5 ft. 7 in.	5 ft. 7 in. to 5 ft. 8 in.	5 ft. 8 in. to 5 ft. 9 in.	5 ft. 9 in. to 5 ft. 10 in.	5 ft. 10 in. to 5 ft. 11 in.	5 ft. 11 in. to 6 ft.	6 ft. and upwards.
1873	69	143	200	206	162	106	62	31	21
1874	62	138	196	206	168	113	63	32	22
1875	65	135	203	205	164	110	63	33	22
1876	68	137	200	204	165	109	62	33	22
1877	72	144	202	201	160	106	62	32	21
1878	71	151	207	202	158	102	58	31	20
1879	65	143	207	204	162	106	62	31	20
1880	56	134	208	209	168	109	64	32	20
1881	52	138	212	209	166	108	63	32	20
1882	60	138	210	206	161	110	63	32	20
1883	58	141	213	206	163	106	61	32	20
1884	91*	146	200	195	157	102	60	30	19
1885	101	152	196	189	153	100	60	30	19
1886	99	172	202	187	146	93	56	28	17
1887	102	176	205	187	141	90	55	27	17
1888	114	170	200	186	142	92	53	26	17
1889	106	170	205	188	143	93	52	26	17
1890	115	170	200	184	141	93	52	27	18

Years.	Abstract of the foregoing numbers.	
	Under 5 feet 7 inches.	Over 5 feet 7 inches.
1873	412	588
1874	396	604
1875	403	597
1876	405	595
1877	418	582
1878	429	571
1879	415	585
1880	398	602
1881	402	598
1882	408	592
1883	412	588
1884	437*	563
1885	449	551
1886	473	527
1887	483	517
1888	484	516
1889	481	519
1890	485	515

* On 27th April 1883 authority was given to enlist (specially) Recruits between 5 ft. 3 in. and 5 ft. 4 in. in height.

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TABLE 64.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the CHEST MEASUREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January in each year from 1875 to 1890.

Years.	Proportion per 1,000 men.								
	Under 33 inches.	33 in. to 34 in.	34 in. to 35 in.	35 in. to 36 in.	36 in. to 37 in.	37 in. to 38 in.	38 in. to 39 in.	39 in. to 40 in.	40 in. and over.
1875	24	57	127	187	213	179	—	213	—
1876	22	47	116	172	220	191	—	232	—
1877	21	51	121	176	213	190	122	67	39
1878	21	48	120	180	213	186	125	66	41
1879	19	41	117	178	219	187	129	67	43
1880	18	34	107	178	225	193	133	69	43
1881	18	32	112	182	226	188	134	67	41
1882	17	28	112	179	226	192	134	69	43
1883	16	30	116	181	223	187	135	69	43
1884	20*	46*	131	180	215	180	126	63	39
1885	22	46	145	186	213	173	119	59	37
1886	20	49	151	201	217	168	110	52	32
1887	19	53	159	202	218	160	107	50	32
1888	19	46	156	204	227	163	105	48	32
1889	17	42	145	206	231	169	109	49	32
1890	19	49	155	205	229	162	106	46	29

Years.	Abstract of the foregoing numbers.	
	Under 37 inches.	Over 37 inches.
1875	608	392
1876	577	423
1877	582	418
1878	582	418
1879	574	426
1880	562	438
1881	570	430
1882	562	438
1883	566	434
1884	592*	408
1885	612	388
1886	638	362
1887	651	349
1888	652	348
1889	641	359
1890	657	343

* On 27th April 1883 authority was given to enlist (specially) Recruits of a chest measurement of from 33 to 34 inches.

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TABLE 65.—NATIONALITIES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1890.

Corps.	English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Born in India or the Colonies.	Foreigners.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1,002	133	68	12	2	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line	14,060	1,231	1,383	142	6	43	16,865
Royal Artillery	25,408	2,211	5,275	816	28	—	33,738
Royal Engineers	4,962	407	578	123	9	—	6,079
Foot Guards	4,690	608	223	40	3	—	5,564
Infantry of the Line	95,590	11,682	20,678	1,354	69	182	129,555
Colonial Corps	22	4	8	2,340	1	—	2,375
Army Service Corps	2,717	85	223	35	3	—	3,063
Ordnance Store Corps	602	38	21	17	3	—	681
Corps of Armourers	229	26	12	7	—	—	274
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	61	3	3	2	—	—	69
Medical Staff Corps	1,968	110	248	36	6	—	2,368
General Total	151,311	16,538	28,720	4,924	130	225	201,848
Proportion per 1,000 men exclusive of Colonial Corps	759	83	145	12	1	—	1,000

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TABLE 66.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1890.

Corps.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Mohommedans, Hindoos, Jews, &c.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry - -	1,056	111	18	—	32	—	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line - -	13,042	1,230	800	54	1,695	1	43	16,865
Royal Artillery - - -	23,280	2,251	2,113	349	5,742	3	—	33,738
Royal Engineers - -	4,413	449	540	103	573	1	—	6,079
Foot Guards - - -	4,202	560	307	65	430	—	—	5,564
Infantry of the Line - -	84,134	10,535	6,110	431	28,153	10	182	129,555
Colonial Corps - - -	1,016	35	339	151	430	404	—	2,375
Army Service Corps - -	2,345	113	242	63	299	1	—	3,063
Ordnance Store Corps - -	495	38	71	17	60	—	—	681
Corps of Armourers - -	204	31	19	8	12	—	—	274
Corps of Ordnance Artificers -	42	4	21	2	—	—	—	69
Medical Staff Corps - -	1,760	122	146	56	282	2	—	2,368
Total - -	135,989	15,479	10,726	1,299	37,708	422	225	201,848
Proportion per 1,000 men exclusive of Colonial Corps -	677	78	52	6	187	—	—	1,000

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TABLE 67.—EDUCATIONAL ACQUIREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the 1st January 1890, showing the different arms of the service.

Corps.	Number who can neither read nor write.	Number who read but cannot write.	Number who write but cannot read.	Number who can only read and write.	Number who are better educated.					Not reported.	Total.
					Holding 4th Class Certificates.	Holding 3rd Class Certificates.	Holding 2nd Class Certificates.	Holding 1st Class Certificates.	Not holding Certificates.		
Household Cavalry	255					348	363	24	227	—	1,217
Cavalry of the Line	3,793					3,648	3,831	181	5,369	43	16,865
Royal Artillery	8,658					6,016	6,861	401	11,802	—	33,738
Royal Engineers	678					1,757	1,889	131	1,624	—	6,079
Foot Guards	1,306					1,285	1,030	39	1,904	—	5,564
Infantry of the Line	45,992					22,060	22,168	807	38,346	182	129,555
Colonial Corps	1,640					209	193	3	316	14	2,375
Army Service Corps	523					613	795	104	1,028	—	3,063
Ordnance Store Corps	72					177	318	50	64	—	681
Corps of Armourers	25					16	18	5	210	—	274
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—					1	8	2	58	—	69
Medical Staff Corps	261					322	1,031	89	665	—	2,368
General Total	*63,203					36,452	38,505	1,836	*61,613	239	201,848
Proportion per 1,000 men exclusive of Colonial Corps	310					182	190	9	309	—	1,000
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* These numbers are only approximate, as under the provisions of General Order 198, of 1887, it is not compulsory for recruits to attend school, and accurate numbers under these headings are not obtainable.

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TABLE 68.—NATIONALITIES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men at various periods from 1870 to 1890, exclusive of the West India regiment and Colonial corps.

Period.	English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Born in India or the Colonies.	Foreigners, &c.	Not reported.	Total.	Proportion per 1,000 men.				
								English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Born in India or the Colonies.	Foreigners, &c.
1 Jan. 1870 -	101,909	16,163	47,151	—	849	2,838	168,910	614	97	284	—	5
1 Jan. 1871 -	No returns compiled.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1 Mar. 1872 -	117,701	15,885	44,092		Not reported.	3,293	180,971	663	89	248	—	—
1 Jan. 1873 -	120,134	15,254	42,284		679	1,032	179,383	674	85	237	—	4
1 Jan. 1874 -	118,848	14,507	41,124	Not reported.	650	972	176,101	679	83	235	—	3
1 Jan. 1875 -	119,246	13,915	40,626		584	1,646	176,017	684	80	233	—	3
1 Jan. 1876 -	118,701	13,813	39,360		571	1,305	173,750	689	80	228	—	3
1 Jan. 1877 -	123,467	14,190	39,977		622	1,561	179,817	693	80	224	—	3
1 Jan. 1878 -	124,708	14,235	39,121		690	1,421	180,175	698	80	219	—	3
1 Jan. 1879 -	121,421	13,914	36,871		706	8,962	181,874	703	80	213	—	4
1 Jan. 1880 -	122,774	14,446	38,359	1,770	297	4,093	181,739	691	81	216	10	2
1 Jan. 1881 -	123,135	14,415	36,872	2,113	215	2,270	179,020	697	81	209	12	1
1 Jan. 1882 -	124,434	13,728	36,945	2,065	238	2,049	179,454	701	78	208	12	1
1 Jan. 1883 -	128,531	14,516	36,297	2,124	208	1,672	183,348	707	80	200	12	1
1 Jan. 1884 -	123,191	13,432	31,694	2,140	155	674	171,286	722	79	186	12	1
1 Jan. 1885 -	128,021	13,720	31,133	2,272	157	3,506	178,809	730	78	178	13	1
1 Jan. 1886 -	138,032	15,495	31,573	2,266	152	3,234	190,752	739	81	167	12	1
1 Jan. 1887 -	146,171	16,446	32,153	2,262	155	1,020	198,207	741	83	163	12	1
1 Jan. 1888 -	149,123	17,082	31,335	2,435	156	512	200,643	745	85	157	12	1
1 Jan. 1889 -	150,030	16,834	30,297	2,504	134	518	200,317	751	84	152	12	1
1 Jan. 1890 -	151,289	16,534	28,712	2,584	129	225	199,473	759	83	145	12	1

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TABLE 69.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men at various periods from 1870 to 1890, exclusive of the West India regiment and Colonial corps.

Year.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Not reported.	Total.	Proportion per 1,000 men.					Year.
								Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	
1 February 1870 -	98,754	16,769	—	5,751	43,590	3,368	168,232	599	102	—	35	264	1870
1 January 1871 -	106,221	16,429	—	6,111	42,295	3,974	175,030	621	96	—	36	247	1871
1 January 1872 -	No returns compiled.												
1 January 1873 -	115,621	15,782	—	5,962	40,986	1,032	179,383	648	89	—	33	230	1873
1 January 1874 -	114,030	15,166	—	6,446	39,488	971	176,101	651	86	—	37	226	1874
1 January 1875 -	113,614	14,629	—	6,401	39,727	1,646	176,017	651	84	—	37	228	1875
1 January 1876 -	112,876	14,320	—	6,224	38,971	1,359	173,750	656	82	—	36	226	1876
1 January 1877 -	116,585	14,342	—	6,737	40,591	1,562	179,817	654	80	—	38	228	1877
1 January 1878 -	116,223	14,060	—	7,033	41,437	1,422	180,175	650	79	—	39	232	1878
1 January 1879 -	112,419	13,662	—	7,117	39,713	8,963	181,874	650	79	—	41	230	1879
1 January 1880 -	113,808	14,019	—	7,254	41,911	4,747	181,739	643	79	—	41	237	1880
1 January 1881 -	114,123	13,947	—	7,334	41,335	2,271	179,020	646	79	—	41	234	1881
1 January 1882 -	115,065	13,472	6,422	1,258	41,091	2,146	179,454	649	76	36	7	232	1882
1 January 1883 -	117,866	13,973	6,757	1,136	41,943	1,673	183,348	649	77	37	6	231	1883
1 January 1884 -	112,605	12,619	7,037	1,050	37,300	675	171,286	660	74	41	6	219	1884
1 January 1885 -	116,005	12,690	7,517	1,030	38,062	3,505	178,809	662	72	43	6	217	1885
1 January 1886 -	124,550	14,343	8,422	1,122	39,133	3,182	190,752	664	76	45	6	209	1886
1 January 1887 -	131,637	15,040	9,133	1,024	40,352	1,021	198,207	668	76	46	5	205	1887
1 January 1888 -	133,737	15,585	10,066	1,297	39,446	512	200,643	668	78	51	6	197	1888
1 January 1889 -	134,247	15,680	10,025	1,167	38,679	519	200,317	672	78	50	6	194	1889
1 January 1890 -	134,973	15,444	10,387	1,166	37,278	225	199,473	677	78	52	6	187	1890

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TABLE 70.—EDUCATIONAL ACQUIREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men at various periods from 1872 to 1890, exclusive of the West India regiment and Colonial corps.

Year.	Number who neither read nor write.	Number who can only read or write.	Number who can read and write.	Number of superior education.		Not reported.	Total.	Proportion per 1,000 men.					Year.
				Holding Certificates.	Not Holding Certificates.			Number who neither read nor write.	Number who can only read or write.	Number who can read and write.	Number of superior education. Holding Certificates.	Number of superior education. Not holding Certificates.	
1 January 1872	11,852	10,964	125,442	23,593		8,473	180,324	69	64	730	137		1872
1 January 1873	10,724	9,543	99,910	58,179		1,027	179,383	60	54	560	326		1873
1 January 1874	9,411	8,036	87,404	70,265		985	176,101	54	46	499	401		1874
1 January 1875	9,163	7,803	84,417	72,988		1,646	176,017	53	45	484	418		1875
1 January 1876	8,540	7,614	78,748	77,490		1,358	173,750	50	44	456	450		1876
1 January 1877	8,518	6,841	79,098	83,799		1,561	179,817	48	38	444	470		1877
1 January 1878	8,193	6,756	75,246	85,809		4,171	180,175	47	38	427	488		1878
1 January 1879	7,597	6,529	70,181	88,566		9,001	181,874	44	38	406	512		1879
1 January 1880	7,340	7,129	60,404	101,746		5,120	181,739	42	40	342	576		1880
1 January 1881	7,092	5,938	43,834	118,927		3,229	179,020	40	34	249	677		1881
1 January 1882	6,556	5,585	38,181	126,302		2,830	179,454	37	32	216	715		1882
1 January 1883	5,507	5,121	33,850	137,095		1,775	183,348	30	28	186	756		1883
1 January 1884	5,375	3,952	27,690	133,478		791	171,286	32	23	162	783		1884
1 January 1885	5,174	4,219	26,676	138,038		4,702	178,809	30	24	153	793		1885
1 January 1886	5,473	6,574	26,477	148,723		3,505	190,752	29	35	142	794		1886
1 January 1887	5,489	6,264	24,677	160,745		1,032	198,207	28	32	125	815		1887
1 January 1888	4,454	5,153	19,747	170,768		521	200,643	22	26	99	853		1888
1 January 1889	3,814	4,499	20,874	170,522		608	200,317	19	22	105	854		1889
1 January 1890	*61,563			76,388	*61,297	22	199,473	310			381	309	1890

N.B.—On the 1st January 1871 the heading of column 5 was changed to "Number of *better* education," and on the 1st January 1873 it was again altered, and now stands as follows, viz., "Number who are better educated, i.e., all who are not included in foregoing columns."

* These numbers are only approximate, as under the provisions of General Order 198, of 1887, it is not compulsory for recruits to attend school, and accurate numbers under these headings are not therefore obtainable.

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PART VIII.—TROOP, BATTERY, AND DRAUGHT HORSES AND MULES.

TABLE 71.—NUMBER of TROOP, BATTERY, and DRAUGHT HORSES and MULES in the different arms of the service on the 1st of each month during 1889, and the average strength during the year, distinguishing those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Months.	British Establishment.								Indian Establishment.				All Arms.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards and Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Total.	
1889.													
1st January - -	811	6,794	1,106	3,220	384	618	1,266	14,199	4,514	1,723	4,793	11,030	25,229
1st February -	820	6,821	1,109	3,219	385	634	1,268	14,256	4,524	1,746	4,822	11,092	25,348
1st March - -	812	6,795	1,106	3,204	384	529	1,267	14,097	4,620	1,748	4,819	11,187	25,284
1st April - -	836	6,824	1,109	3,233	385	594	1,264	14,245	4,553	1,704	4,842	11,099	25,344
1st May - -	835	6,840	1,110	3,255	383	594	1,277	14,294	4,524	1,679	4,769	10,972	25,266
1st June - -	836	6,836	1,115	3,259	384	588	1,258	14,276	4,365	1,638	4,657	10,660	24,936
1st July - -	828	6,823	1,114	3,235	384	593	1,265	14,242	4,285	1,618	4,525	10,423	24,670
1st August - -	831	6,788	1,106	3,234	383	596	1,275	14,213	4,272	1,612	4,513	10,397	24,610
1st September -	791	6,631	1,103	3,227	382	534	1,279	13,947	4,296	1,604	4,503	10,403	24,350
1st October - -	786	6,561	1,105	3,221	384	534	1,281	13,872	4,273	1,603	4,478	10,354	24,226
1st November -	826	6,613	1,081	3,200	390	531	1,284	13,925	4,313	1,653	4,600	10,566	24,491
1st December - -	844	6,681	1,084	3,199	397	533	1,281	14,019	4,547	1,698	4,716	10,961	24,980
Average during 1889	821	6,751	1,104	3,226	385	573	1,272	14,132	4,424	1,669	4,669	10,762	24,894

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TABLE 72.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH and DISTRIBUTION of the HORSES and MULES, according to the latest returns received on the 1st January 1890, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments and the number required to complete each arm of the service.

—	British Establishment.								Indian Establishment.				All Arms.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards and Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Total.	
AT HOME.													
England	827	3,864	942	2,626	329	164	1,003	9,755	—	—	—	—	9,755
Scotland	—	280	—	45	—	—	—	325	—	—	—	—	325
Ireland	—	2,042	155	426	47	75	276	3,021	—	—	—	—	3,021
	827	6,186	1,097	3,097	376	239	1,279	13,101	—	—	—	—	13,101
Egypt	—	148	—	—	5	132	—	285	—	—	—	—	285
IN THE COLONIES.													
Cape of Good Hope and Natal	—	330	—	130	—	160	—	620	—	—	—	—	620
EAST INDIES.													
Bengal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,109	1,077	2,596	6,782	6,782
Bombay	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	479	314	1,332	2,125	2,125
Madras	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,013	302	896	2,211	2,211
Upper Burmah Force	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Staff	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	8	16	16
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,601	1,701	4,832	11,134	11,134
General Total	827	6,664	1,097	3,227	381	531	1,279	14,006	4,601	1,701	4,832	11,134	25,140
Establishment	825	6,848	1,118	3,294	380	513	1,294	14,272	4,734	1,958	4,620	11,312	25,584
Wanting to complete	—	184	21	67	—	—	15	266	133	257	—	178	444
Supernumerary	2	—	—	—	1	18	—	—	—	—	212	—	—

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TABLE 73.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the HORSES and MULES of each arm of the service on the British Establishment reported during the year 1889.

Corps.	Effectives on the 1st January 1889.	Increase.			Decrease.					Effectives on the 1st January 1890.
		Recruited.	Other causes.	Total.	Dead.	Cast.	Sold to Officers.	Other causes.	Total.	
Household Cavalry -	811	219	—	219	24	148	1	30	203	827
Cavalry of the Line -	6,794	750	—	750	150	703	19	8	880	6,664
Royal Horse Artillery-	1,106	121	—	121	20	95	—	15	130	1,097
Royal Artillery -	3,220	462	—	462	70	378	3	4	455	3,227
Royal Engineers -	384	25	—	25	10	18	—	—	28	381
Infantry of the Line and Foot Guards	618	27	72	99	11	175	—	—	186	531
Army Service Corps -	1,266	170	—	170	30	124	—	3	157	1,279
Total -	14,199	1,774	72	1,846	315	1,641	23	60	2,039	14,006

TABLE 74.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the HORSES and MULES on the British Establishment reported during each month of the year 1889.

Months.	Effectives on the 1st day of each month.	Increase.			Decrease.				
		Recruited.	Other causes.	Total Increase.	Dead.	Cast.	Sold to Officers.	Other causes.	Total Decrease.
January - -	14,199	157	—	157	27	72	1	—	100
February - -	14,256	144	—	144	14	286	2	1	303
March - -	14,097	167	65	232	33	48	3	—	84
April - - -	14,245	141	—	141	21	64	5	2	92
May - - -	14,294	121	—	121	21	110	3	5	139
June - - -	14,276	36	28	64	32	65	1	—	98
July - - -	14,242	154	—	154	44	113	—	26	183
August - -	14,213	84	—	84	29	309	2	10	350
September -	13,947	128	—	128	32	166	—	5	203
October - -	13,872	299	—	299	19	223	3	1	246
November -	13,925	222	2	224	23	105	2	—	130
December -	14,019	121	—	121	18	113	1	2	134
Total - -	—	1,774	95	1,869	313	1,674	23	52	2,062

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TABLE 75.—AGES of the HORSES and MULES in each arm of the service on the 1st January 1890, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Corps.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry - -	199	315	225	88	—	827	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cavalry of the Line - -	820	2,929	2,130	728	57	6,664	127	2,588	1,248	601	37	4,601
Royal Artillery - - -	322	1,436	1,798	768	—	4,324	205	2,849	2,242	1,237	—	6,533
Royal Engineers - - -	15	184	109	59	14	381	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line and Foot Guards	5	200	120	58	148	531	—	—	—	—	—	—
Army Service Corps - - -	76	520	412	271	—	1,279	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total - -	1,437	5,584	4,794	1,972	219	14,006	332	5,437	3,490	1,838	37	11,134

TABLE 76.—SIZES of the HORSES and MULES in each arm of the service on the 1st January 1890, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Corps.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	14½ hands and under.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands and over.	Not reported.	Total.	14½ hands.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands and over.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry - -	—	6	301	520	--	827	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cavalry of the Line - -	99	1,295	4,169	1,045	56	6,664	455	1,408	2,426	275	37	4,601
Royal Artillery - - -	159	182	1,996	1,987	—	4,324	435	2,425	2,903	770	—	6,533
Royal Engineers - - -	—	35	251	81	14	381	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line and Foot Guards	209	59	91	24	148	531	—	—	—	—	—	—
Army Service Corps - -	17	340	775	147	—	1,279	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total - -	484	1,917	7,583	3,804	218	14,006	890	3,833	5,329	1,045	37	11,134

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TABLE 77.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the HORSES and MULES in each arm of the service, according to the latest returns received on the 1st January in each year from 1870 to 1890, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Year.	British Establishment.									Indian Establishment.				All Arms.	Year.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards and Infantry of the Line.	Military Train and Army Service Corps.	Colonial Corps.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Total.		
1870	847	5,720	1,242	2,086	198	—	948	275	11,316	4,059	3,398	4,561	12,018	23,334	1870
1871	851	6,800	1,566	2,258	360	—	1,095	—	12,930	3,788	3,360	4,596	11,744	24,674	1871
1872	854	6,747	1,883	3,587	413	—	1,082	—	14,566	3,809	2,596	4,653	11,058	25,624	1872
1873	838	6,745	1,909	3,924	410	—	1,098	—	14,924	3,404	2,480	4,609	10,493	25,417	1873
1874	824	6,708	1,850	4,005	413	—	1,086	—	14,886	3,313	2,596	4,704	10,613	25,499	1874
1875	839	6,621	1,901	3,975	418	—	1,073	—	14,827	3,328	2,564	4,613	10,505	25,332	1875
1876	837	6,777	1,793	4,080	420	—	1,060	—	14,967	3,418	2,610	4,716	10,744	25,711	1876
1877	845	6,843	1,794	4,169	416	—	1,076	—	15,143	3,218	2,574	4,703	10,495	25,638	1877
1878	848	6,866	1,895	4,166	431	—	1,083	—	15,289	3,410	2,605	4,739	10,754	26,043	1878
1879	853	6,862	1,853	4,113	450	127	1,130	—	15,388	3,402	2,703	4,725	10,830	26,218	1879
1880	845	7,071	1,794	3,365	283	—	1,193	—	14,551	3,798	2,534	4,896	11,228	25,779	1880
1881	846	6,544	1,798	3,300	310	—	1,030	—	13,828	3,468	2,463	4,603	10,534	24,362	1881
1882	840	6,396	1,567	3,115	266	—	955	—	13,139	3,564	2,444	4,506	10,514	23,653	1882
1883	816	6,206	1,484	3,260	360	386	1,950	—	14,462	3,459	1,795	4,585	9,839	24,301	1883
1884	828	6,334	1,463	3,248	257	398	1,113	—	13,641	3,467	1,757	4,417	9,641	23,282	1884
1885	826	6,592	1,396	3,264	216	721	1,064	—	14,079	3,520	1,764	4,395	9,679	23,758	1885
1886	826	6,788	1,399	3,221	263	412	1,161	—	14,070	3,060	1,674	4,657	9,391	23,461	1886
1887	835	6,839	1,365	3,199	307	470	1,156	—	14,171	3,383	1,793	4,895	10,071	24,242	1887
1888	821	6,590	1,086	3,291	354	530	1,255	—	13,927	4,303	1,803	4,889	10,995	24,922	1888
1889	811	6,794	1,106	3,220	384	618	1,266	—	14,199	4,514	1,723	4,793	11,030	25,229	1889
1890	827	6,664	1,097	3,227	381	531	1,279	—	14,006	4,601	1,701	4,832	11,134	25,140	1890

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TABLE 78.—INCREASE and DECREASE of HORSES and MULES on the British Establishment in each year from 1870 to 1889.

Year.	Effectives on the 1st January in each year.	Increase.			Decrease.					Nett Increase.	Nett Decrease.	Effectives on the 31st December in each year.
		Recruited.	Other causes.	Total Increase.	Dead.	Cast and Sold.	Sold to Officers.	Other causes.	Total Decrease.			
1870	11,316	3,407	32	3,439	224	1,504	17	80	1,825	1,614	—	12,930
1871	12,930	2,976	42	3,018	364	979	39	—	1,382	1,636	—	14,566
1872	14,566	1,864	24	1,888	369	1,116	45	—	1,530	358	—	14,924
1873	14,924	1,301	13	1,314	301	1,027	24	—	1,352	—	38	14,886
1874	*14,886	1,295	10	1,305	313	1,018	33	—	1,364	—	59	14,827
1875	14,827	1,549	12	1,561	295	1,081	45	—	1,421	140	—	14,967
1876	14,967	1,516	14	1,530	263	1,055	36	—	1,354	176	—	15,143
1877	15,143	1,572	—	1,572	255	1,139	29	3	1,426	146	—	15,289
1878	15,289	2,944	—	2,944	410	2,389	28	18	2,845	99	—	15,388
1879	15,388	2,000	—	2,000	605	2,189	23	20	2,837	—	837	14,551
1880	14,551	1,781	27	1,808	499	2,019	13	—	2,531	—	723	13,828
1881	13,828	1,528	—	1,528	717	1,419	14	67	2,217	—	689	13,139
1882	13,139	4,817	41	4,858	1,487	2,012	36	—	3,535	1,323	—	14,462
1883	14,462	2,343	—	2,343	519	2,365	22	258*	3,164	—	821	13,641
1884	13,641	2,329	204	2,533	324	1,740	31	—	2,095	438	—	14,079
1885	14,079	2,061	106	2,167	429	1,715	32	—	2,176	—	9	14,070
1886	14,070	1,844	98	1,942	336	1,474	31	—	1,841	101	—	14,171
1887	14,171	2,109	—	2,109	389	1,790	36	138	2,353	—	244	13,927
1888	13,927	1,708	2	1,710	316	1,100	22	—	1,438	272	—	14,199
1889	14,199	1,774	12	1,786	315	1,641	23	—	1,979	—	193	14,006

* Including 234 to mounted infantry and local transport in Egypt.

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TABLE 79.—AGES of the HORSES and MULES on the British and Indian Establishments on the 1st January in each year from 1874 to 1890.

Year.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.
1874	1,831	7,308	3,518	2,229	—	14,886	507	4,190	4,367	1,536	13	10,613
1875	1,627	6,842	3,978	2,380	—	14,827	476	4,211	4,140	1,780	—	10,607
1876	1,880	5,195	5,378	2,493	21	14,967	266	4,026	4,258	2,140	—	10,690
1877	2,007	4,954	5,772	2,394	16	15,143	325	3,874	4,063	2,273	—	10,535
1878	2,024	5,446	5,529	2,290	—	15,289	255	3,577	4,694	2,283	—	10,809
1879	970	5,997	5,135	3,273	13	15,388	223	3,560	3,979	3,073	—	10,835
1880	1,538	5,135	3,669	3,533	676	14,551	317	3,952	3,950	2,795	—	11,014
1881	1,315	5,273	3,334	3,689	217	13,828	332	4,272	3,654	2,362	—	10,620
1882	920	4,933	3,444	3,718	146	13,161	218	3,939	3,835	2,381	141	10,514
1883	1,572	5,898	3,579	2,973	440	14,462	205	3,353	4,046	2,303	—	9,907
1884	1,675	6,145	3,319	2,098	404	13,641	315	3,120	4,137	2,069	—	9,641
1885	1,428	6,313	3,584	1,681	1,073	14,079	443	2,976	4,104	2,156	—	9,679
1886	1,486	6,196	3,926	1,527	935	14,070	412	3,313	3,407	2,152	107	9,391
1887	1,844	5,737	4,351	1,692	547	14,171	559	4,292	3,103	2,215	451	10,620
1888	1,522	5,511	4,851	1,731	312	13,927	411	5,303	3,004	2,336	—	11,054
1889	1,676	5,604	5,005	1,811	118	14,214	393	5,247	3,242	2,153	—	11,035
1890	1,437	5,584	4,794	1,972	219	14,006	332	5,437	3,490	1,838	37	11,134

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TABLE 80.—SIZES of the HORSES and MULES on the British and Indian Establishments on the 1st January in each year from 1874 to 1890.

Year.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	14½ hands and under.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands.	Not reported.	Total.	14½ hands.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands.	Not reported.	Total.
1874	73	3,702	9,138	1,973	—	14,886	3,868	4,094	2,267	371	13	10,613
1875	44	3,645	9,238	1,900	—	14,827	4,154	4,099	2,070	284	—	10,607
1876	26	2,854	9,869	2,197	21	14,967	3,896	4,191	2,342	261	—	10,690
1877	52	2,923	10,111	2,041	16	15,143	4,053	3,894	2,354	234	—	10,535
1878	41	3,172	10,024	2,052	--	15,289	3,982	4,207	2,365	255	—	10,809
1879	56	2,818	10,147	2,354	13	15,388	3,789	4,312	2,414	320	—	10,835
1880	80	2,749	9,153	1,893	676	14,551	3,730	4,506	2,538	240	—	11,014
1881	152	3,018	8,528	1,913	217	13,828	2,910	4,596	2,801	313	—	10,620
1882	196	2,593	8,223	2,033	116	13,161	3,040	4,269	2,767	297	141	10,514
1883	425	2,620	8,933	2,044	440	14,462	2,652	4,350	2,594	311	—	9,907
1884	84	2,816	8,526	1,811	404	13,641	2,483	4,415	2,492	251	—	9,641
1885	218	2,199	8,594	1,995	1,073	14,079	2,131	4,373	2,917	258	—	9,679
1886	437	2,641	8,350	1,725	917	14,070	2,094	4,105	2,798	287	107	9,391
1887	499	2,428	8,816	1,881	547	14,171	1,673	4,566	3,401	529	451	10,620
1888	459	2,626	8,732	1,817	293	13,927	1,808	4,796	4,000	450	—	11,054
1889	574	1,820	7,455	4,249	116	14,214	966	4,715	4,214	1,140	—	11,035
1890	484	1,917	7,583	3,804	218	14,006	890	3,833	5,329	1,045	37	11,134

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PART IX.—AUXILIARY AND RESERVE FORCES.

TABLE 81.—GENERAL ANNUAL RETURN of the RESERVE and AUXILIARY FORCES for the year 1889, showing the different branches of the service.

Corps.	Date.	All Ranks.			
		Total Enrolled.	Establishment.	Wanting to complete.	Supernumerary.
Army Reserve { Class I.	1st January 1890	54,136	*58,300	4,164	—
Army Reserve { Class II.	1st January 1890	1,946	*2,300	354	—
Militia	Dates of Inspections 1889	116,494	136,305	19,811	—
Yeomanry	Dates of Inspections 1889	10,710	14,139	3,429	—
Volunteers	1st November 1889	224,021	259,583	35,562	—
	General Total	407,307	470,627	63,320	—
Militia Reserve (included with Militia)	Dates of Inspections 1889	31,243	*30,000	—	1,243

* Numbers voted in Army Estimates, 1889–90.

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TABLE 82.—STRENGTH of the ARMY RESERVE, showing the composition of the force on the first day of each month during 1889.

Month.	1st Class.		2nd Class.				Total Army Reserve	Detail of Class I.												
	Reserve of 1870.	Reserve of 1882.	Reserve of 1867.	Reserve of 1859.	Enrolled Pensioners.	Total.		Cavalry.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	King's Royal Rifle Corps.	Rifle Brigade.	Royal Malta Artillery.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	Total.
1st January -	47,801	3,040	246	123	2,485	2,854	53,195	3,470	3,509	1,226	3,097	34,313	897	1,060	59	1,625	127	858	100	50,341
1st February -	46,587	3,340	241	125	2,479	2,845	52,772	3,494	3,638	1,241	3,047	33,833	882	1,038	60	1,612	130	852	100	49,927
1st March -	47,805	3,547	238	125	2,457	2,820	54,172	3,569	3,875	1,240	3,020	34,833	861	1,161	61	1,636	128	869	99	51,352
1st April - -	48,233	3,687	234	122	1,840	2,196	54,116	3,636	4,177	1,244	3,023	34,996	845	1,157	59	1,664	128	891	100	51,920
1st May - -	49,172	3,798	227	120	1,699	2,046	55,016	3,632	4,388	1,270	3,019	35,638	977	1,156	67	1,680	127	916	100	52,970
1st June - -	49,896	3,965	221	120	1,695	2,036	55,897	3,670	4,578	1,274	3,019	35,728	971	1,163	67	1,689	131	961	110	53,361
1st July - -	49,119	4,168	215	120	1,693	2,028	55,315	3,679	4,669	1,291	3,025	35,496	959	1,172	72	1,708	136	969	111	53,287
1st August -	48,522	4,376	208	116	1,687	2,011	54,909	3,647	4,638	1,291	3,027	35,188	950	1,144	73	1,719	144	966	111	52,898
1st September -	47,976	4,572	202	114	1,683	1,999	54,547	3,604	4,647	1,297	3,047	34,865	937	1,119	74	1,743	145	959	111	52,548
1st October -	47,670	4,701	198	111	1,681	1,990	54,361	3,591	4,643	1,300	3,081	34,666	922	1,100	80	1,772	149	956	111	52,371
1st November -	47,251	4,840	193	109	1,668	1,970	54,061	3,605	4,631	1,304	3,094	34,465	869	1,051	84	1,774	151	953	110	52,091
1st December -	48,320	5,019	193	106	1,666	1,965	55,304	3,704	4,795	1,333	3,129	35,318	868	1,067	86	1,793	155	980	111	53,339

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TABLE 83.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the ARMY

	1st Class.												
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
Effectives on 1st of Month.	50,341	49,927	51,352	51,920	52,970	53,361	53,287	52,898	52,548	52,371	52,091	53,339	1 Jan. 1890. 54,136
Increase—													
Transfers from the Colours - -	937	2,160	1,126	1,663	1,023	673	405	306	392	786	1,811	1,380	12,662
Enrolled in Section "D"	330	229	156	123	180	223	230	206	151	175	207	186	2,396
Rejoined from Absence	27	14	22	18	18	12	20	16	15	19	28	19	228
Other causes - -	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	4	11	—	—	1	23
Total Increase -	1,294	2,410	1,304	1,804	1,221	908	655	532	569	980	2,046	1,586	15,309
Decrease—													
Dead - - -	35	28	43	32	36	17	32	27	31	27	34	33	380
Discharged. After 21 years' service - -	—	7	—	2	1	1	2	4	1	—	—	1	19
Discharged. On completion of engagement	1,414	900	657	489	739	932	789	804	669	673	734	723	9,523
Discharged. As Invalids -	4	2	1	2	4	3	—	2	2	4	3	1	28
Discharged. By Purchase -	3	8	10	5	6	2	—	—	3	—	2	1	40
Discharged. Free by Indulgence - -	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	3
Discharged. For Misconduct -	6	9	4	14	7	6	4	16	12	10	3	5	96
Discharged. Miscellaneous -	2	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	11
	1,429	926	677	512	757	944	795	826	687	687	744	736	9,720
Transfers to the Colours - -	—	—	7	4	3	2	1	1	4	1	3	3	29
Enrolled Pensioners struck off as over age under Para. 8, G.O. 79 of 1885 -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Struck off for Absence -	237	31	6	201	33	18	216	28	24	545	17	12	1,368
Other causes - -	7	—	3	5	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	17
Total Decrease -	1,708	985	736	754	830	982	1,044	882	746	1,260	798	789	11,514
Net Increase -	—	1,425	568	1,050	391	—	—	—	—	—	1,248	797	3,795
Net Decrease -	414	—	—	—	—	74	389	350	177	280	—	—	—

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RESERVE reported during each Month of the year 1889.

	2ND CLASS.												
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
	2,854	2,845	2,820	2,196	2,046	2,036	2,028	2,011	1,999	1,990	1,970	1,965	1Jan. 1890. 1,946
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	5
	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	5
	4	3	7	5	3	2	6	3	2	4	2	1	42
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	3	2	6	5	6	6	9	6	6	6	1	4	60
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	3
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	3	2	6	5	6	6	9	8	7	6	1	4	63
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	20	606	141	—	—	1	—	—	9	2	14	793
	—	1	2	1	—	—	1	1	—	3	—	—	9
	2	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
	9	26	624	152	10	8	17	12	9	22	5	19	913
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	9	25	624	150	10	8	17	12	9	20	5	19	908

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TABLE 84.—AGES of the MEN composing the ARMY RESERVE on the 1st January 1890.

	Under 30 years of age.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not Reported.	Total.
CLASS I.						
Cavalry of the Line - -	2,320	1,376	84	1	—	3,781
Royal Artillery - - -	2,591	2,084	215	8	—	4,898
Royal Engineers - - -	716	513	84	2	—	1,315
Foot Guards - - -	2,226	840	99	1	—	3,166
Infantry of the Line - -	20,926	14,962	1,881	47	3	37,819
Royal Malta Artillery - -	76	12	1	—	—	89
Army Service Corps - -	1,444	326	45	2	—	1,817
Ordnance Store Corps - -	108	48	1	—	—	157
Medical Staff Corps - -	663	267	53	—	—	983
Army Post Office Corps - -	107	4	—	—	—	111
Total Class I. - -	31,177	20,432	2,463	61	3	54,136
Class II. of 1867 - - -	—	—	—	190	—	190
Reserve of 1859 - - -	—	—	—	105	—	105
Enrolled Pensioners - -	—	3	16	1,280	352	1,651
Total Class II. - -	—	3	16	1,575	352	1,946

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TABLE 85.—YEARS in which the services of the Men composing the First Class Army Reserve on the 1st January 1890 will expire.

—	During 1890.	During 1891.	During 1892.	During 1893.	During 1894.	During 1895.	During 1896.	During 1897.	During 1898.	During 1899.	During 1900.	Not reported.	Total.
Cavalry of the Line - -	822	757	566	564	602	345	120	3	1	1	—	—	3,781
Royal Artillery - -	981	690	1,078	1,139	817	23	23	23	87	37	—	—	4,898
Royal Engineers - -	405	81	167	138	169	122	104	113	16	—	—	—	1,315
Foot Guards - - -	368	388	453	356	293	313	374	290	331	—	—	—	3,166
Infantry of the Line - -	7,068	7,495	7,750	10,459	3,952	825	220	32	12	2	1	3	37,819
Royal Malta Artillery - -	2	8	6	9	23	17	24	—	—	—	—	—	89
Army Service Corps - -	166	147	159	143	296	196	313	210	187	—	—	—	1,817
Ordnance Store Corps - -	21	19	28	20	24	25	15	5	—	—	—	—	157
Medical Staff Corps - -	88	119	140	77	90	108	154	126	81	—	—	—	983
Army Post Office Corps -	6	4	6	3	76	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	111
Total, All Arms - -	9,927	9,708	10,353	12,908	6,342	1,990	1,347	802	715	40	1	3	54,136

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TABLE 86.—GENERAL STATE of the MILITIA (including the Militia Reserve) at the dates of the annual inspections of the several regiments in the year 1889.

	By Ranks.							By Countries.				By Arms.			
	Officers.	Permanent Staff.		Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Total.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	Total.
		Sergeants.	Drummers.												
Present at training - -	3,209	3,320	1,210	2,158	4,285	88,785	102,967	68,770	11,841	22,356	102,967	14,227	1,445	87,295	102,967
Absent from inspection — With leave -	341	30	4	56	163	4,212	4,806	3,252	780	774	4,806	599	90	4,117	4,806
Absent from inspection — Without leave -	7	7	1	38	150	8,525	8,721	5,987	1,124	1,610	8,721	1,147	151	7,423	8,721
Number enrolled - -	3,557	3,350	1,215	2,252	4,598	101,522	116,494	78,009	13,745	24,740	116,494	15,973	1,686	98,835	116,494
Establishment, as laid down in Army Orders of 1889 -	3,857	3,472	1,229	2,491	4,968	120,288	136,305	90,675	15,310	30,320	136,305	19,275	2,637	114,393	136,305
Wanting to complete -	300	122	14	239	370	18,766	19,811	12,666	1,565	5,580	19,811	3,302	951	15,558	19,811
Supernumerary - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 87.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the MILITIA (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) between 1st January 1889 and 1st January 1890, by Countries and by Arms.

	Countries.			Arms.			Total.
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	
Number enrolled 1st January 1889	72,282	12,323	21,928	13,821	1,309	91,403	106,533
Enlisted	26,130	3,160	4,064	2,917	862	29,575	33,354
Re-enlisted	2,105	198	598	399	28	2,474	2,901
Rejoined from Desertion	537	106	154	110	11	676	797
Other causes (net)	—	—	—	153	27	—	—
Total Increase	28,772	3,464	4,816	3,579	928	32,725	37,052
Dead	242	51	70	64	3	296	363
Discharged	13,353	1,728	2,202	1,873	333	15,077	17,283
Deserted, and Absentees struck off	6,028	1,140	1,502	1,081	172	7,417	8,670
To Regular Army	10,490	881	1,228	732	103	11,764	12,599
To Royal Navy and Royal Marines	516	7	—	26	16	481	523
Other causes (net)	308	4	150	—	—	642	462
Total Decrease	30,937	3,811	5,152	3,776	627	35,677	39,900
Net Increase	—	—	—	—	301	—	—
Net Decrease	2,165	347	336	197	—	2,952	2,848
Number enrolled 1st January 1890	70,117	11,976	21,592	13,624	1,610	88,451	103,685

N.B.—The figures in this table represent the increase and decrease of the Militia as reported *in the returns received month by month* during 1889, and do not in every case correspond with the actual number of recruits and casualties during the year as shown in tables 59, 60, and 64.

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TABLE 88.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the MILITIA RESERVE between 1st January 1889 and 1st January 1890, by Countries and by Arms.

	Countries.			Arms.			Total.
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	
Number enrolled on 1st January 1889	19,629	3,529	7,351	5,428	274	24,807	30,509
Enlisted	3,488	524	1,069	872	107	4,102	5,081
Re-enlisted	6	—	1	2	—	5	7
Other causes (net)	—	—	—	30	4	—	—
Total Increase	3,494	524	1,070	904	111	4,107	5,088
Dead	58	10	22	24	—	66	90
Discharged	2,584	382	760	678	39	3,009	3,726
Deserted, and Absentees struck off	572	137	403	230	12	870	1,112
To Regular Army	226	16	93	48	2	285	335
To Royal Navy and Royal Marines	8	—	—	2	—	6	8
Other causes (net)	75	14	76	—	—	199	165
Total Decrease	3,523	559	1,354	982	53	4,435	5,436
Net Increase	—	—	—	—	58	—	—
Net Decrease	29	35	284	78	—	328	348
Number enrolled on 1st January 1890	19,600	3,494	7,067	5,350	332	24,479	30,161

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TABLE 89.—ENROLLED STRENGTH of the MILITIA (exclusive of Officers and Permanent Staff) on the 1st of each month during 1889, and the average strength during the year.

Months.	Enrolled Strength (exclusive of Officers and Permanent Staff).			
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Total.
January	72,282	12,323	21,928	106,533
February	73,513	12,494	22,213	108,220
March	74,067	12,614	22,457	109,138
April	74,424	12,716	22,820	109,960
May	74,915	13,025	23,314	111,254
June	74,063	13,093	23,317	110,473
July	72,951	12,951	22,974	108,876
August	72,373	12,803	22,666	107,842
September	72,336	12,767	22,729	107,832
October	71,042	12,743	22,087	105,872
November	69,923	12,316	21,541	103,780
December	69,794	11,889	21,532	103,215
Average during 1889	72,640	12,645	22,465	107,750

TABLE 90.—AGES of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN serving in the MILITIA (including the Permanent Staff) on 1st January 1890.

Arm.	Country.	Ages.								Total.
		Under 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	Over 35 years.	
Artillery	England	52	218	413	429	1,416	1,345	1,402	1,358	6,633
	Scotland	21	24	80	112	618	750	448	420	2,473
	Ireland	46	61	294	353	1,338	1,120	1,003	1,033	5,248
	Total	119	303	787	894	3,372	3,215	2,853	2,811	14,354
Engineers	England	27	104	170	133	472	426	190	181	1,703
Infantry	England	504	4,366	8,385	8,018	16,604	11,212	8,971	6,642	64,702
	Scotland	75	486	924	971	2,711	2,050	1,548	1,259	10,024
	Ireland	192	1,032	2,009	1,767	4,477	3,054	2,484	2,342	17,357
	Total	771	5,884	11,318	10,756	23,792	16,316	13,003	10,243	92,083
All Arms	England	583	4,688	8,968	8,580	18,492	12,983	10,563	8,181	73,038
	Scotland	96	510	1,004	1,083	3,329	2,800	1,996	1,679	12,497
	Ireland	238	1,093	2,303	2,120	5,815	4,174	3,487	3,375	22,605
	Total	917	6,291	12,275	11,783	27,636	19,957	16,046	13,235	108,140
Militia Reserve (included above)	Artillery	—	—	—	147	1,471	1,801	1,590	341	5,350
	Engineers	—	—	—	5	85	142	77	23	332
	Infantry	—	—	—	1,207	7,643	8,114	6,275	1,240	24,479
	Total	—	—	—	1,359	9,199	10,057	7,942	1,604	30,161

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TABLE 91.—HEIGHTS of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA enrolled at dates of Inspections of the several Regiments during the year 1889.

Arm.	Country.	Under 5 ft. 5 in.	5 ft. 5 in. to 5 ft. 6 in.	5 ft. 6 in. to 5 ft. 7 in.	5 ft. 7 in. to 5 ft. 8 in.	5 ft. 8 in. to 5 ft. 9 in.	5 ft. 9 in. to 5 ft. 10 in.	5 ft. 10 in. to 5 ft. 11 in.	5 ft. 11 in. to 6 feet.	6 ft. and upwards.	Total.
Artillery	England	90	423	2,078	1,720	1,105	695	390	194	89	6,784
	Scotland	17	78	818	632	516	292	135	62	35	2,585
	Ireland	52	169	1,312	1,249	1,099	742	359	245	91	5,318
	Total	159	670	4,208	3,601	2,720	1,729	884	501	215	14,687
Engineers	England	191	389	362	258	159	95	56	21	23	1,554
Infantry	England	18,360	13,836	11,602	8,146	5,660	3,488	2,025	837	350	64,304
	Scotland	2,783	1,994	1,892	1,427	1,047	559	329	146	54	10,231
	Ireland	3,637	3,538	3,236	2,410	1,876	1,405	861	467	166	17,596
	Total	24,780	19,368	16,730	11,983	8,583	5,452	3,215	1,450	570	92,131
All Arms	England	18,641	14,648	14,042	10,124	6,924	4,278	2,471	1,052	462	72,642
	Scotland	2,800	2,072	2,710	2,059	1,563	851	464	208	89	12,816
	Ireland	3,689	3,707	4,548	3,659	2,975	2,147	1,220	712	257	22,914
	Total	25,130	20,427	21,300	15,842	11,462	7,276	4,155	1,972	808	108,372

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TABLE 92.—NATIONALITIES of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (inclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA on the 1st January 1890.

Arm.	Country.	English.			Scotch.			Irish.			Total.
		Born in County in which Corps is localised.	Born in other Counties.	Total.	Born in County in which Corps is localised.	Born in other Counties.	Total.	Born in County in which Corps is localised.	Born in other Counties.	Total.	
Artillery	England	4,767	1,334	6,101	—	90	90	—	442	442	6,633
	Scotland	—	128	128	1,736	401	2,137	—	208	208	2,473
	Ireland	—	161	161	—	57	57	4,025	1,005	5,030	5,248
	Total	4,767	1,623	6,390	1,736	548	2,284	4,025	1,655	5,680	14,354
Engineers	England	1,120	482	1,602	—	54	54	—	47	47	1,703
Infantry	England	47,651	11,892	59,543	—	580	580	—	4,579	4,579	64,702
	Scotland	—	417	417	6,410	2,404	8,814	—	793	793	10,024
	Ireland	—	296	296	—	72	72	13,446	3,543	16,989	17,357
	Total	47,651	12,605	60,256	6,410	3,056	9,466	13,446	8,915	22,361	92,083
All Arms	England	53,538	13,708	67,246	—	724	724	—	5,068	5,068	73,038
	Scotland	—	545	545	8,146	2,805	10,951	—	1,001	1,001	12,497
	Ireland	—	457	457	—	129	129	17,471	4,548	22,019	22,605
	Total	53,538	14,710	68,248	8,146	3,658	11,804	17,471	10,617	28,088	108,140

TABLE 93.—TRADES of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA enrolled at the dates of the Annual Inspection of the several Regiments during the year 1889.

Arm.	Country.	Artisans.	Mechanical Labourers.	Agricultural Labourers.	Miners.	Fishermen.	All Others.	Total.
Artillery	England	834	1,360	1,637	482	253	2,218	6,784
	Scotland	428	564	517	467	56	553	2,585
	Ireland	533	804	3,282	27	107	565	5,318
	Total	1,795	2,728	5,436	976	416	3,336	14,687
Engineers	England	325	176	285	233	163	372	1,554
Infantry	England	9,926	16,077	18,728	5,741	870	12,962	64,304
	Scotland	1,764	2,035	1,614	1,096	1,169	2,553	10,231
	Ireland	1,606	2,117	10,904	133	233	2,603	17,596
	Total	13,296	20,229	31,246	6,970	2,272	18,118	92,131
All Arms	England	11,085	17,613	20,650	6,456	1,286	15,552	72,642
	Scotland	2,192	2,599	2,131	1,563	1,225	3,106	12,816
	Ireland	2,139	2,921	14,186	160	340	3,168	22,914
	Total	15,416	23,133	36,967	8,179	2,851	21,826	108,372

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TABLE 94.—RELIGIOUS PERSUASIONS of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (inclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA on the 1st January 1890.

Arm.	Country.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants not included in the foregoing.	Roman Catholics.	Total.
Artillery	England	4,452	118	493	290	1,280	6,633
	Scotland	212	1,287	12	1	961	2,473
	Ireland	890	256	15	8	4,079	5,248
	Total	5,554	1,661	520	299	6,320	14,354
Engineers	England	1,178	28	199	33	265	1,703
Infantry	England	46,865	525	3,064	552	13,696	64,702
	Scotland	592	6,121	5	3	3,303	10,024
	Ireland	2,344	686	24	3	14,300	17,357
	Total	49,801	7,332	3,093	558	31,299	92,083
All Arms	England	52,495	671	3,756	875	15,241	73,038
	Scotland	804	7,408	17	4	4,264	12,497
	Ireland	3,234	942	39	11	18,379	22,605
	Total	56,533	9,021	3,812	890	37,884	108,140

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TABLE 95.—YEARS in which the Terms of Service of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA enrolled on 1st January 1890 will expire.

Arm.	Country.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	Total.
Artillery	England	612	1,053	1,271	1,298	965	1,104	—	6,303
	Scotland	219	409	493	508	381	341	—	2,351
	Ireland	589	782	887	1,034	948	729	1	4,970
	Total	1,420	2,244	2,651	2,840	2,294	2,174	1	13,624
Engineers	England	70	133	197	289	299	622	—	1,610
Infantry	England	6,441	9,621	10,635	11,419	10,369	13,511	8	62,204
	Scotland	978	1,672	1,763	1,891	1,568	1,752	1	9,625
	Ireland	2,008	2,614	2,938	3,700	2,813	2,549	—	16,622
	Total	9,427	13,907	15,536	17,010	14,750	17,812	9	88,451
All Arms	England	7,123	10,807	12,303	13,006	11,633	15,237	8	70,117
	Scotland	1,197	2,081	2,256	2,399	1,949	2,093	1	11,976
	Ireland	2,597	3,396	3,825	4,734	3,761	3,278	1	21,592
	Total	10,917	16,284	18,384	20,139	17,343	20,608	10	103,685

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TABLE 96.—AGES of the RECRUITS who joined the MILITIA during the year 1889.

Arm.	Country.	Ages of Recruits joined.											Total.
		Under 17 years.	17to18 years.	18to19 years.	19to20 years.	20to21 years.	21to22 years.	22to23 years.	23to24 years.	24to25 years.	Over 25 years.	Not Reported.	
Artillery	England	37	378	352	177	122	73	72	68	78	250	—	1,607
	Scotland	18	42	87	52	36	22	30	26	35	146	—	494
	Ireland	29	117	178	128	64	45	38	42	45	132	—	818
	Total	84	537	617	357	222	140	140	136	158	528	—	2,919
Engineers	England	11	148	191	95	466	52	31	32	49	185	—	860
Infantry	England	418	8,132	8,199	2,798	1,282	784	538	447	336	718	—	23,652
	Scotland	36	1,196	779	274	101	76	59	25	30	89	—	2,665
	Ireland	73	1,150	1,093	293	202	105	84	57	74	91	—	3,222
	Total	527	10,478	10,071	3,365	1,585	965	681	529	440	898	—	29,539
All Arms	England	466	8,658	8,742	3,070	1,470	909	641	547	463	1,153	—	26,119
	Scotland	54	1,238	866	326	137	98	89	51	65	235	—	3,159
	Ireland	102	1,267	1,271	421	266	150	122	99	119	223	—	4,040
	Total	622	11,163	10,879	3,817	1,873	1,157	852	697	647	1,611	—	33,318

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TABLE 97.—AGES of the MEN DISCHARGED from the MILITIA during 1889.

Arm.	Country.	Under 20 years of age.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 and under 26 years.	26 and under 27 years.	27 and under 28 years.	28 and under 29 years.	29 and under 30 years.	30 and under 31 years.	31 and under 32 years.	32 and under 33 years.	33 and under 34 years.	34 and under 35 years.	35 and under 36 years.	36 and under 37 years.	37 and under 38 years.	38 and under 39 years.	39 and under 40 years.	40 years and upwards.	Total discharged.
Artillery	England	141	50	54	52	42	63	49	39	35	38	41	29	34	32	37	39	37	34	37	22	25	54	984
	Scotland	31	21	23	17	20	16	19	21	8	12	14	7	8	12	12	4	13	9	7	4	8	16	302
	Ireland	51	34	31	31	24	31	27	20	29	27	32	33	35	19	23	20	29	18	17	13	11	35	590
	Total	223	105	108	100	86	110	95	80	72	77	87	69	77	63	72	63	79	61	61	39	44	105	1,876
Engineers	England	111	37	27	24	27	32	16	12	10	13	3	8	7	2	7	—	3	3	2	1	—	2	347
Infantry	England	3,751	1,249	807	722	753	659	521	375	316	335	375	259	220	280	232	210	193	164	150	148	118	208	12,105
	Scotland	451	120	69	81	102	82	64	39	40	43	33	34	23	18	22	29	31	25	19	11	31	61	1,428
	Ireland	254	117	91	81	99	103	90	67	88	64	67	42	50	34	40	33	31	42	25	35	33	111	1,597
	Total	4,456	1,486	967	884	954	844	675	481	444	442	475	335	293	332	294	272	255	231	194	194	182	440	15,130
All Arms	England	4,003	1,336	888	798	822	754	586	426	361	386	419	296	261	314	276	249	233	201	189	171	143	324	13,436
	Scotland	482	141	92	98	122	98	83	60	48	55	47	41	31	30	34	33	44	34	26	15	39	77	1,730
	Ireland	305	151	122	112	123	134	117	87	117	91	99	75	85	53	63	53	60	60	42	48	44	146	2,187
	Total	4,790	1,628	1,102	1,008	1,067	986	786	573	526	532	565	412	377	397	373	335	337	295	257	234	226	547	17,353

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TABLE 98.—NUMBER of COURTS-MARTIAL, and NUMBER of MEN of the MILITIA tried, during 1889.

Arm.	Country.	Number of men tried.				Number of trials.			
		Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Total.	General Courts-Martial.	District Courts-Martial.	Regimental Courts-Martial.	Total.
Artillery	England	13	—	—	13	—	1	12	13
	Scotland	7	—	—	7	—	—	7	7
	Ireland	35	1	—	36	—	15	22	37
	Total	55	1	—	56	—	16	41	57
Engineers	England	19	—	—	19	—	5	14	19
Infantry	England	143	—	—	143	—	59	84	143
	Scotland	91	1	—	92	—	12	81	93
	Ireland	29	—	—	29	—	14	15	29
	Total	263	1	—	264	—	85	180	265
All Arms	England	175	—	—	175	—	65	110	175
	Scotland	98	1	—	99	—	12	88	100
	Ireland	64	1	—	65	—	29	37	66
	Total	337	2	—	339	—	106	235	341

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TABLE 99.—OFFENCES for which the MEN of the MILITIA were tried by COURTS-MARTIAL during 1889, showing the SENTENCES AWARDED, and the PUNISHMENTS inflicted.

Arm.	Country.	Offences for which the men were tried.														Sentences awarded.						Acquitted.	Punishments inflicted.						Pardoned.	Sentences wholly remitted.	Sentences quashed.
		Offences in relation to			Offences in relation to Enlistment.	Violence and Disobedience to Superiors.	Minor Insubordination and Neglect of Orders.	Quitting or Sleeping on Post.	Drunk on Duty.	Drunkenness.	Disgraceful Conduct.	Absence without leave.	Making away with Necessaries.	Miscellaneous.	Total of Offences.	Penal Servitude.	Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks.	Reduction and Imprisonment.	Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other Punishment.	Imprisonment with or without hard labour.	Total of Sentences awarded.		Penal Servitude.	Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks.	Reduction and Imprisonment.	Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other Punishment.	Imprisonment with or without hard labour.	Total of Punishments inflicted.			
		Mutiny.	Desertion.	Fraudulent Enlistment.																											
Artillery	England	—	—	—	—	2	3	—	1	1	—	6	—	—	13	—	10	—	—	2	12	1	—	10	—	—	2	12	—	—	—
	Scotland	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	2	—	1	—	1	7	—	4	—	—	2	6	1	—	4	—	—	2	6	—	—	—
	Ireland	—	—	1	2	3	6	—	8	10	2	6	—	6	44	—	20	—	1	15	36	1	—	20	—	1	15	36	—	—	—
	Total	—	—	1	2	7	9	—	10	13	2	13	—	7	64	—	34	—	1	19	54	3	—	34	—	1	19	54	—	—	—
Engineers	England	—	1	1	—	2	6	—	4	6	1	4	1	1	27	—	6	3	—	9	18	1	—	6	3	—	8	17	—	—	1
Infantry	England	—	16	4	5	14	7	3	11	28	4	47	19	30	188	—	75	7	—	61	143	—	—	75	5	—	62	142	—	1	—
	Scotland	—	4	7	2	3	3	—	8	8	—	54	5	6	100	—	25	1	—	67	93	—	—	25	1	—	66	92	—	1	—
	Ireland	—	1	1	—	5	6	—	4	5	2	5	1	4	34	—	14	2	—	11	27	2	—	14	1	—	11	26	—	1	—
	Total	—	21	12	7	22	16	3	23	41	6	106	25	40	322	—	114	10	—	139	263	2	—	114	7	—	139	260	—	3	—
All Arms	England	—	17	5	5	18	16	3	16	35	5	57	20	31	228	—	91	10	—	72	173	2	—	91	8	—	72	171	—	1	1
	Scotland	—	4	7	2	5	3	—	9	10	—	55	5	7	107	—	29	1	—	69	99	1	—	29	1	—	68	98	—	1	—
	Ireland	—	1	2	2	8	12	—	12	15	4	11	1	10	78	—	34	2	1	26	63	3	—	34	1	1	26	62	—	1	—
	Total	—	22	14	9	31	31	3	37	60	9	123	26	48	413	—	154	13	1	167	335	6	—	154	10	1	166	331	—	3	1

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TABLE 100.—NUMBER of MEN of the MILITIA fined for DRUNKENNESS, and the NUMBER of FINES inflicted, also the NUMBER of MINOR PUNISHMENTS, including FINES for DRUNKENNESS, inflicted by COMMANDING OFFICERS during the year 1889.

Arm.	Country.	Number of Men fined for Drunkenness.							Number of Cases of Fines inflicted for Drunkenness.	Number of Cases of Minor Punishment.
		Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total of Men fined.		
Artillery	England	255	17	4	1	—	—	277	305	1,435
	Scotland	50	7	1	—	—	—	58	67	400
	Ireland	105	7	3	—	—	—	115	128	810
	Total	410	31	8	1	—	—	450	500	2,645
Engineers	England	91	12	5	—	—	—	108	130	667
Infantry	England	1,141	94	10	—	—	—	1,245	1,359	15,685
	Scotland	237	24	2	—	—	—	263	291	1,529
	Ireland	360	38	10	1	—	—	409	470	2,833
	Total	1,738	156	22	1	—	—	1,917	2,120	20,047
All Arms	England	1,487	123	19	1	—	—	1,630	1,794	17,787
	Scotland	287	31	3	—	—	—	321	358	1,929
	Ireland	465	45	13	1	—	—	524	598	3,643
	Total	2,239	199	35	2	—	—	2,475	2,750	23,359

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TABLE 101.—SERVICES of the MEN who DESERTED and who were STRUCK OFF as ABSENTEES from the MILITIA during 1889.

Arm.	Country.	Under 1 year's service.	1 and under 2 years' service.	2 and under 3 years' service.	3 and under 4 years' service.	4 and under 5 years' service.	5 years' service and upwards.	Total Desertions.
Artillery	England -	129	125	75	55	16	62	462
	Scotland -	36	60	33	12	21	45	207
	Ireland -	60	145	52	45	36	76	414
	Total -	225	330	160	112	73	183	1,083
Engineers	England -	39	57	25	13	3	8	145
Infantry	England -	2,130	1,230	705	461	332	534	5,392
	Scotland -	231	207	135	96	95	169	933
	Ireland -	157	261	177	149	102	218	1,064
	Total -	2,518	1,698	1,017	706	529	921	7,389
All Arms	England -	2,298	1,412	805	529	351	604	5,999
	Scotland -	267	267	168	108	116	214	1,140
	Ireland -	217	406	229	194	138	294	1,478
	Total -	2,782	2,085	1,202	831	605	1,112	8,617

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Arm.	Country.	Number of Men fined for Drunkenness.							Number of Cases of Fines inflicted for Drunkenness.	Number of Cases of Minor Punishment.
		Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total of Men fined.		
Artillery	England -	255	17	4	1	—	—	277	305	1,435
	Scotland -	50	7	1	—	—	—	58	67	400
	Ireland -	105	7	3	—	—	—	115	128	810
	Total -	410	31	8	1	—	—	450	500	2,645
Engineers	England -	91	12	5	—	—	—	108	130	667
Infantry	England -	1,141	94	10	—	—	—	1,245	1,359	15,685
	Scotland -	237	24	2	—	—	—	263	291	1,529
	Ireland -	360	38	10	1	—	—	409	470	2,833
	Total -	1,738	156	22	1	—	—	1,917	2,120	20,047
All Arms	England -	1,487	123	19	1	—	—	1,630	1,794	17,787
	Scotland -	287	31	3	—	—	—	321	358	1,929
	Ireland -	465	45	13	1	—	—	524	598	3,643
	Total -	2,239	199	35	2	—	—	2,475	2,750	23,359

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TABLE 101.—SERVICES of the MEN who DESERTED and who were STRUCK OFF as ABSENTEES from the MILITIA during 1889.

Arm.	Country.	Under 1 year's service.	1 and under 2 years' service.	2 and under 3 years' service.	3 and under 4 years' service.	4 and under 5 years' service.	5 years' service and upwards.	Total Desertions.
Artillery	England -	129	125	75	55	16	62	462
	Scotland -	36	60	33	12	21	45	207
	Ireland -	60	145	52	45	36	76	414
	Total -	225	330	160	112	73	183	1,083
Engineers	England -	39	57	25	13	3	8	145
Infantry	England -	2,130	1,230	705	461	332	534	5,392
	Scotland -	231	207	135	96	95	169	933
	Ireland -	157	261	177	149	102	218	1,064
	Total -	2,518	1,698	1,017	706	529	921	7,389
All Arms	England -	2,298	1,412	805	529	351	604	5,999
	Scotland -	267	267	168	108	116	214	1,140
	Ireland -	217	406	229	194	138	294	1,478
	Total -	2,782	2,085	1,202	831	605	1,112	8,617

N.B.—*See* note at page 57.

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TABLE 102.—GENERAL STATE of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY at the dates of the annual inspections of the several corps during the year 1889.

	By Ranks.						By Countries.		
	Officers.	Permanent Staff Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Total all Ranks.	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
Present at inspection - - - -	611	236	832	190	7,393	9,262	8,443	819	9,262
Absent from inspection:									
With leave - - - -	83	2	91	2	989	1,167	961	206	1,167
Without leave - - -	4	—	11	2	264	281	280	1	281
Number enrolled - - - -	698	238	934	194	8,646	10,710	9,684	1,026	10,710
Establishment - - - -	782	240	999	240	11,878	14,139	12,828	1,311	14,139
Wanting to complete - - -	84	2	65	46	3,232	3,429	3,144	285	3,429
Supernumeraries - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 103.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY during 1889.

—	All Ranks (including Permanent Staff).		
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
Enrolled strength on 1st January 1889.	9,700	1,039	10,739
Enrolled - - -	1,710	72	1,782
Transfers from regular army (permanent staff).	20	3	23
Total increase - -	1,730	75	1,805
Dead - - - -	46	2	48
Dismissed for misconduct -	20	—	20
Struck off for absence from training, &c.	157	6	163
Enlisted into regular army -	15	—	15
Voluntarily quitted - -	1,425	64	1,489
Discharged (permanent staff) -	13	2	15
Transferred to regular army (permanent staff).	5	—	5
Total decrease - -	1,681	74	1,755
Net { Increase - -	49	1	50
Net { Decrease - -	—	—	—
Enrolled strength on 1st January 1890.	9,749	1,040	10,789

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TABLE 104.—AGES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY on the 1st January 1890.

—	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
17 and under 18 years - -	68	7	75
18 „ 19 „ - -	223	18	241
19 „ 20 „ - -	353	29	382
20 „ 21 „ - -	485	36	521
21 „ 22 „ - -	571	46	617
22 „ 23 „ - -	586	64	650
23 „ 24 „ - -	605	100	705
24 „ 25 „ - -	580	81	661
25 „ 26 „ - -	597	77	674
26 „ 27 „ - -	554	48	602
27 „ 28 „ - -	513	87	600
28 „ 29 „ - -	487	70	557
29 „ 30 „ - -	521	43	564
30 „ 35 „ - -	1,339	121	1,460
35 „ 40 „ - -	1,008	99	1,107
40 „ 45 „ - -	601	51	652
45 „ 50 „ - -	412	34	446
50 years and upwards - -	246	29	275
Total - - -	9,749	1,040	10,789

TABLE 105.—PAST SERVICES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY on the 1st January 1890.

—	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
Under 1 year - - -	1,663	85	1,748
1 and under 2 years - -	1,266	91	1,357
2 „ 3 „ - -	1,173	109	1,282
3 „ 4 „ - -	885	101	986
4 „ 5 „ - -	677	86	763
5 „ 6 „ - -	693	75	768
6 „ 7 „ - -	534	76	610
7 „ 8 „ - -	411	69	480
8 „ 9 „ - -	363	57	420
9 „ 10 „ - -	327	60	387
10 „ 15 „ - -	799	104	903
15 „ 20 „ - -	405	66	471
20 years and upwards - -	553	61	614
Total - - -	9,749	1,040	10,789

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TABLE 106.—STATE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on the 1st November 1889, showing the numbers in each of the military districts of Great Britain.

District.	All Ranks.										
	Authorised Establishment.	Efficients.	Non-efficients.	Total enrolled.	Proficients who have gained the special grant of 50s.			Officers who have passed in tactics.	Who have passed in signalling.		Present at annual inspection, including the Staff.
					Officers.	Sergeants.	Total.		Officers.	Non Com. Officers.	
North-eastern	38,771	32,920	1,339	34,259	904	1,951	2,855	159	2	6	28,103
North-western	54,747	48,501	1,217	49,718	1,225	2,775	4,000	261	12	8	42,163
Eastern	14,890	12,233	387	12,620	351	721	1,072	51	3	4	10,911
Western	27,270	23,162	746	23,908	627	1,314	1,941	76	1	—	20,246
Southern	9,777	7,779	284	8,063	222	505	727	48	1	5	6,629
Thames	3,567	2,757	141	2,898	92	194	286	26	1	—	2,595
South-eastern	6,809	5,455	92	5,547	160	333	493	25	1	2	4,988
Home	43,906	33,572	1,670	35,242	984	2,142	3,126	277	21	34	30,685
Woolwich	1,752	1,268	35	1,303	33	97	130	10	—	1	1,224
North British	58,094	49,352	1,111	50,463	1,581	2,922	4,503	293	6	21	43,463
Total	259,583	216,999	7,022	224,021	6,179	12,954	19,133	1,226	48	81	191,007

TABLE 107.—STATE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on the 1st November 1889, showing the different arms of the service.

Arms.	All Ranks.										
	Authorised Establishment.	Efficients.	Non-efficients.	Total enrolled.	Proficients who have earned the special grant of 50s.			Officers who have passed in tactics.	Who have passed in signalling.		Present at annual inspection, including the Staff.
					Officers.	Sergeants.	Total.		Officers.	Non-Com. Officers.	
Light Horse	364	199	56	255	15	22	37	1	—	—	177
Artillery	47,368	40,670	1,433	42,103	1,246	2,474	3,720	193	6	8	36,094
Engineer*	14,524	12,008	491	12,499	265	607	872	68	2	6	10,727
Mounted Rifle	61	36	12	48	5	4	9	1	—	—	37
Rifle	196,052	163,125	4,925	168,050	4,614	9,762	14,376	962	40	65	143,030
Medical Staff Corps	1,214	961	105	1,066	34	85	119	1	—	2	942
Total	259,583	216,999	7,022	224,021	6,179	12,954	19,133	1,226	48	81	191,007

* Including Submarine Miners.

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TABLE 108.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE between 1st November 1888 and 1st November 1889.

—	Light Horse.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Mounted Rifles.	Rifles.	Medical Staff Corps.	Total.
Number enrolled on 1st November 1888	251	42,629	*12,189	49	170,473	878	226,469
Enrolled: Recruits	31	7,836	2,908	1	31,969	373	43,118
Enrolled: Having previously served in regular army or auxiliary forces	—	1,039	337	1	5,237	9	6,623
From regular army	—	60	25	—	154	1	240
Other causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total increase	31	8,935	3,270	2	37,360	383	49,981
Dead	1	156	31	—	547	3	738
Dismissed: Misconduct	—	260	40	—	426	2	728
Dismissed: Non-efficient	1	779	701	—	3,730	28	5,239
Joined regular forces	—	315	114	—	1,217	2	1,648
Struck off on attaining 50 years of age	—	16	—	—	111	—	127
Voluntarily quitted: Under 8 years	10	6,707	1,854	—	28,549	160	37,280
Voluntarily quitted: After 8 years	15	1,228	220	3	5,203	—	6,669
Other causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total decrease	27	9,461	2,960	3	39,783	195	52,429
Net: Increase	4	—	310	—	—	188	—
Net: Decrease	—	526	—	1	2,423	—	2,448
Number enrolled on 1st November 1889	255	42,103	*12,499	48	168,050	1,066	224,021

* Including Submarine Miners.

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TABLE 109.—AGES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on 1st November 1889.

——	Under 17 years.	17 to 18.	18 to 19.	19 to 20.	20 to 21.	21 to 22.	22 to 23.	23 to 24.	24 to 25.	25 to 26.	26 to 27.	27 to 28.	28 to 29.	29 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	Upwards of 50 years.	Total.
Light Horse - -	—	2	6	8	9	13	25	12	19	15	12	19	22	11	42	20	16	1	3	255
Artillery - - -	193	1,802	3,537	3,806	3,699	3,390	2,913	2,577	2,297	2,046	1,864	1,598	1,599	1,461	4,028	2,567	1,389	948	389	42,103
Engineers* - -	32	553	1,242	1,487	1,283	1,172	968	761	635	557	423	397	335	294	1,079	618	368	221	74	12,499
Mounted Rifles - -	—	—	—	—	—	1	5	3	2	4	—	2	1	2	12	10	4	2	—	48
Rifles - - -	797	6,583	13,712	16,478	16,276	14,045	12,184	10,106	8,825	7,708	6,792	5,886	5,550	5,572	14,806	10,056	6,196	4,427	2,051	168,050
Medical Staff Corps -	2	66	69	99	128	132	113	104	74	60	48	41	29	16	34	23	17	9	2	1,066
Total - -	1,024	9,006	18,566	21,878	21,395	18,753	16,208	13,563	11,852	10,390	9,139	7,943	7,536	7,356	20,001	13,294	7,990	5,608	2,519	224,021

TABLE 110.—PAST SERVICES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on 1st November 1889.

——	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	5 to 6.	6 to 7.	7 to 8.	8 to 9.	9 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	Upwards of 20.	Total.
Light Horse - - -	29	32	33	14	18	6	26	10	9	32	17	18	11	255
Artillery - - - -	8,352	7,103	5,689	4,362	3,300	2,548	1,877	1,377	1,238	1,045	2,790	1,378	1,044	42,103
Engineers* - - -	2,990	2,846	2,124	1,157	753	578	396	299	236	205	515	220	180	12,499
Mounted Rifles - - -	1	1	4	16	2	—	2	2	3	3	2	11	1	48
Rifles - - - -	33,831	27,685	22,751	17,246	13,339	9,597	7,267	5,612	4,594	4,173	10,730	5,718	5,507	168,050
Medical Staff Corps - -	364	280	187	119	51	56	—	1	—	—	—	6	2	1,066
Total - - -	45,567	37,947	30,788	22,914	17,463	12,785	9,568	7,301	6,080	5,458	14,054	7,351	6,745	224,021

* Including Sub-Marine Miners.

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TABLE 111.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the ARMY RESERVE on the 1st January in each year from 1870 to 1890.

Year.	1st Class Reserve.		Reserve of 1867.		Reserve of 1859 (c.)	Enrolled Pensioners (d.) (e.)	Total.
	1870.	1882 (a.)	Class I.	Class II. (b.)			
1870	—	—	1,939	1,151	2,734	14,643	20,467
1871	2,676	—	772	800	2,555	15,667	22,470
1872	6,659	—	363	720	2,325	19,183	29,250
1873	6,563	—	314	716	2,227	20,861	30,681
1874	7,376	—	243	667	2,112	20,648	31,046
1875	7,676	—	169	675	1,979	19,560	30,059
1876	5,991	—	60	706	1,866	19,425	28,048
1877	6,038	—	24	687	1,743	21,284	29,776
1878	11,304	—	24	667	1,620	21,473	35,088
1879	15,085	—	—	624	1,481	20,322	37,512
1880	16,651	—	—	570	1,393	20,058	38,672
1881	20,126	—	—	535	1,300	19,835	41,796
1882	24,085	—	—	500	1,192	(e)8,859	34,636
1883	16,479	—	—	475	1,112	8,137	26,203
1884	34,589	—	—	453	971	7,172	43,185
1885	39,037	249	—	419	806	6,513	47,024
1886	41,420	469	—	390	680	5,753	48,712
1887	45,994	864	—	318	471	4,906	52,553
1888	49,498	1,452	—	276	216	3,626	55,068
1889	47,301	3,040	—	246	123	2,485	53,195
1890	48,965	5,171	—	190	105	1,651	56,082

(a.) Established by Royal Warrant 21 March 1883 (Clause 62 of Army Circulars, 1883).

(b.) Enrolment suspended 23rd February 1869.

(c.) Enrolment suspended 18th August 1866.

(d.) Enrolled pensioners merged in the 2nd Class Army Reserve under the Army Reserve Regulations, dated 9th May 1868.

(e.) Enrolment of pensioners discontinued (Clause 68 of Army Circulars, 1881), and men over 50 years of age, as well as men under that age unfit for further service, struck off strength.

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TABLE 112.—AGES of the Men belonging to the Army Reserve on 1st January of each year from 1875 to 1890.

Date.	1st Class.						2nd Class (including Enrolled Pensioners).						General Total.
	Under 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not known.	Total.	Under 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not known.	Total.	
1st January 1875 -		No returns compiled.				7,845	100	672	2,786	18,656	—	22,214	30,059
1st January 1876 -	2,796	1,725	1,433	97	—	6,051	70	494	3,049	18,384	—	21,997	28,048
1st January 1877 -	2,949	1,533	1,441	139	—	6,062	50	422	2,921	20,321	—	23,714	29,776
1st January 1878 -	7,042	2,213	1,755	318	—	11,328	102	576	3,074	20,008	—	23,760	35,088
1st January 1879 -	11,209	2,256	1,215	399	6	15,085	42	278	1,730	20,185	192	22,427	37,512
1st January 1880 -	12,526	2,585	1,054	486	—	16,651	21	257	2,355	19,388	—	22,021	38,672
1st January 1881 -	15,531	3,307	780	508	—	20,126	39	204	1,402	20,025	—	21,670	41,796
1st January 1882 -	17,386	5,443	638	618	—	24,085	20	83	575	9,873	—	10,551	34,636
1st January 1883 -	10,738	5,227	458	56	—	16,479	4	75	384	9,261	—	9,724	26,203
1st January 1884 -	26,137	7,938	473	41	—	34,589	1	40	203	8,352	—	8,596	43,185
1st January 1885 -	28,746	9,925	584	31	—	39,286	1	17	111	7,609	—	7,738	47,024
1st January 1886 -	29,729	11,397	728	35	—	41,889	2	12	81	6,728	—	6,823	48,712
1st January 1887 -	32,317	13,563	913	43	22	46,858	2	11	67	5,615	—	5,695	52,553
1st January 1888 -	32,803	16,728	1,342	77	—	50,950	—	5	51	4,062	—	4,118	55,068
1st January 1889 -	30,453	18,237	1,596	55	—	50,341	—	3	38	2,813	—	2,854	53,195
1st January 1890 -	31,177	20,432	2,463	61	3	54,136	—	3	16	1,575	352	1,946	56,082

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TABLE 113.—ENROLLED STRENGTH of the MILITIA at the date of the inspection of the several corps in each year from 1870 to 1889.

Years.	BY RANKS.							BY COUNTRIES.				BY ARMS.				
	Officers.	Permanent Staff.		Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	All Ranks.	English regiments.	Scotch regiments.	Irish regiments.	Total.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	Rifles.	All Arms.
		Sergeants.	Drummers, &c.													
1870	2,097	2,530	882	950	2,773	74,429	83,661	72,956	10,705	Not trained	83,661	9,389	—	62,439	11,833	83,661
1871	3,293	3,418	1,195	1,261	3,630	94,864	107,661	74,550	10,895	22,216	107,661	13,035	—	76,312	18,314	107,661
1872	3,371	3,412	1,195	1,250	3,567	103,285	116,080	79,026	11,936	25,118	116,080	13,038	—	83,176	19,266	116,080
1873	3,263	3,353	1,195	1,260	3,559	103,352	115,982	77,376	11,738	26,868	115,982	13,960	—	82,060	19,962	115,982
1874	3,298	3,413	1,195	2,030	4,218	98,525	112,679	73,723	11,982	26,974	112,679	13,878	—	78,977	19,824	112,679
1875	3,353	3,363	1,207	2,358	4,510	101,416	116,207	75,135	12,051	29,021	116,207	13,566	—	81,270	21,371	116,207
1876	3,445	3,296	1,209	2,301	4,457	100,217	114,925	75,743	11,996	27,186	114,925	13,532	—	80,673	20,720	114,925
1877	3,430	3,229	1,200	2,323	4,470	103,298	117,950	78,084	12,670	27,196	117,950	14,770	1,059	81,511	20,610	117,950
1878	3,513	3,312	1,176	1,783	3,907	92,185	105,876*	70,773	10,750	24,353	105,876	12,453	994	73,879	18,550	105,876
1879	3,380	3,373	1,186	2,238	4,702	112,870	127,749	83,346	14,122	30,281	127,749	16,264	1,057	88,087	22,341	127,749
1880	3,593	3,433	1,216	2,214	4,694	115,181	130,331	85,023	14,193	30,515	130,331	17,076	1,319	111,936		130,331
1881	3,653	3,434	1,201	1,928	4,612	113,040	127,868†	84,864	14,138	28,866†	127,868†	16,895	1,330	109,643		127,868†
1882	3,559	3,356	1,156	1,699	4,521	104,410	118,701†	78,850	13,244	26,607†	118,701†	18,062	1,229	99,410		118,701†
1883	3,245	3,431	1,164	1,716	4,645	102,441	116,642	76,860	13,109	26,673	116,642	17,272	1,176	98,194		116,642
1884	3,087	3,419	1,190	1,769	4,658	99,664	113,787	76,711	13,967	23,109	113,787	15,335	1,007	97,445		113,787
1885	3,174	3,446	1,236	1,948	4,732	104,820	119,356	81,212	15,033	23,111	119,356	15,569	965	102,822		119,356
1886	3,274	3,450	1,215	2,044	4,736	107,709	122,428	83,333	14,917	24,178	122,428	16,073	1,083	105,272		122,428
1887	3,354	3,445	1,199	2,116	4,684	106,613	121,411	82,111	14,636	24,664	121,411	16,290	1,339	103,782		121,411
1888	3,497	3,404	1,208	2,198	4,676	104,405	119,388	80,113	14,187	25,088	119,388	16,164	1,427	101,797		119,388
1889	3,557	3,350	1,215	2,252	4,598	101,522	116,494	78,009	13,745	24,740	116,494	15,973	1,686	98,835		116,494

* The inspection of the Regiments of Militia, with the exception of 17, took place during the mobilisation of the Militia Reserve, the men of the Militia Reserve are consequently not included in the number enrolled at date of inspection.

† The Irish Militia were not inspected during 1881 and 1882, the strength has been taken on 1st July in each year.

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TABLE 114.—Enrolled strength of the Militia in Rank and File, and the Numbers Supernumerary to or wanting to complete the Establishment on the 1st of January of each year from 1873 to 1890.

Year.	Enrolled Strength.	Establishment.	Super-numeraries.	Wanting to complete.
1873 - -	103,149	124,226	—	21,077
1874 - -	99,456	124,524	—	25,068
1875 - -	100,621	128,737	—	28,116
1876 - -	100,814	128,782	—	27,968
1877 - -	102,774	123,233	—	20,459
1878 - -	104,385	125,570	—	21,185
1879 - -	108,138	125,662	—	17,524
1880 - -	115,645	126,496	—	10,851
1881 - -	116,222	127,932	—	11,710
1882 - -	111,160	128,278	—	17,118
1883 - -	104,431	128,069	—	23,638
1884 - -	97,778	127,653	—	29,875
1885 - -	102,627	126,821	—	24,194
1886 - -	106,293	126,217	—	19,924
1887 - -	108,512	126,217	—	17,705
1888 -	106,629	126,317	—	19,688
1889 - -	104,404	126,443	—	22,039
1890 - -	101,500	125,256	—	23,756

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TABLE 115.—AGES of the Men belonging to the Militia (including the Permanent Staff) and the Militia Reserve on 1st January of each year from 1875 to 1890.

Date.	Militia.								Militia Reserve (included in foregoing numbers).						
	Under 17 years.	17 to 19 years.	19 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	Over 35 years.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 17 years.	17 to 19 years.	19 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	Over 35 years.	Total.
1st Jan. 1875	1,900	16,817	46,172	22,691	11,107	8,427	—	107,114	—	783	14,076	8,031	3,439	884	27,213
1st Jan. 1876	1,769	17,235	46,255	21,705	11,272	8,099	—	106,335	1	669	13,609	7,928	3,385	844	26,436
1st Jan. 1877	1,790	19,388	44,418	22,741	11,952	8,315	—	108,604	—	394	13,629	7,333	3,194	669	25,219
1st Jan. 1878	1,970	19,851	45,099	23,024	11,842	8,261	—	110,047	—	569	13,273	7,823	3,537	640	25,842
1st Jan. 1879	1,876	19,474	48,429	24,292	11,784	9,247	—	115,102	—	108	9,510	6,818	3,195	677	20,308
1st Jan. 1880	1,739	22,492	50,019	25,909	12,402	9,781	—	122,342	—	184	11,492	8,706	3,857	881	25,120
1st Jan. 1881	1,690	19,582	54,866	24,468	12,334	9,985	—	122,925	—	161	12,829	9,208	4,182	1,021	27,401
1st Jan. 1882	1,204	15,226	52,983	24,815	12,772	10,495	—	117,495	—	14	12,041	9,508	4,479	1,232	27,274
1st Jan. 1883	1,374	14,594	48,273	23,766	12,094	10,440	—	110,541	—	—	12,060	9,216	4,329	1,024	26,629
1st Jan. 1884	881	16,495	43,394	21,339	12,043	9,789	—	103,941	—	—	13,765	9,929	5,049	836	29,579
1st Jan. 1885	899	18,994	44,189	21,421	13,109	10,361	—	108,973	—	—	13,776	10,465	5,599	973	30,813
1st Jan. 1886	977	19,836	45,872	22,225	13,681	10,191	—	112,782	—	—	12,866	10,343	5,897	1,022	30,128
1st Jan. 1887	967	19,360	45,496	23,043	14,923	11,278	3	115,070	—	4	12,030	10,406	6,767	1,252	30,459
1st Jan. 1888	932	18,967	44,028	22,354	15,132	11,909	1	113,323	—	—	11,425	10,644	7,248	1,180	30,497
1st Jan. 1889	943	17,669	42,572	20,927	16,144	12,786	—	111,041	—	—	10,974	10,315	7,723	1,497	30,509
1st Jan. 1890	917	18,566	39,419	19,957	16,046	13,235	—	108,140	—	—	10,558	10,057	7,942	1,604	30,161

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TABLE 116.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Militia (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) between the Annual Trainings from 1872 to 1879, between the Inspections of 1879 and 1st January 1880, and during the years from 1880 to 1889.

Year.	Number enrolled at Date of Inspection.	Increase.						Decrease.							Number enrolled at Date of Inspection.
		Recruits enlisted.	Re-enlisted men.	From Desertion.	Rejoined from Army Service or demobilisation.	Other causes.	Total.	Dead.	Discharged.	Deserted.	Struck off on mobilisation of Militia Reserve.	Joined Regular Army, R. Navy, and R. Marines.	Other causes.	Total.	
1872–3 -	108,102	27,259		504	—	636	28,399	542	14,228	7,548	—	4,324	1,688	28,330	108,171
1873–4 -	108,171	25,324		644	—	312	26,280	511	14,044	9,105	—	4,876	*2,736	31,272	103,179
1874–5 -	103,179	29,587		782	—	*2,081	32,450	536	13,501	8,549	—	5,134	†2,638	30,358	105,271
1875–6 -	105,271	31,337		807	—	†2,603	34,747	535	15,987	9,487	—	6,356	678	33,043	106,975
1876–7 -	106,975	40,821		816	—	1,048	42,685	472	16,852	10,670	—	10,151	1,424	39,569	110,091
1877–8 -	110,091	42,561		769	2,704	837	46,871	501	13,859	14,046	21,730	7,901	1,686	59,723	97,239
1878–9 -	97,239	34,032		943	18,925	675	54,575	463	10,831	13,188	—	7,103	419	32,004	119,810
Between Inspection 1879 and 1 January 1880.	119,810	13,762		239	—	96	14,097	124	1,470	9,698	—	4,775	25	16,092	1 Jan. 1880. 117,815
	On 1st Jan.														On 31st Dec.
1880 -	117,815	32,224		722	—	—	32,946	493	14,650	9,299	—	7,949	60	32,451	118,310
1881 -	118,310	24,965	519	610	—	—	26,094	505	14,778	7,530	—	8,528	110	31,451	112,953
1882 -	112,953	25,642	903	506	—	—	27,051	395	18,492	6,942	—	8,074	47	33,950	106,054
1883 -	106,054	33,764	1,760	607	—	—	36,131	511	18,078	11,330	—	12,771	55	42,745	99,440
1884 -	99,440	39,874	2,106	738	—	—	42,718	418	15,550	8,492	—	13,259	59	37,778	104,380
1885 -	104,380	40,657	2,652	825	—	—	44,134	417	14,113	10,924	—	14,821	43	40,318	108,196
1886 -	108,196	39,330	3,173	810	—	—	43,313	447	15,290	10,680	—	14,530	74	41,021	110,488
1887 -	110,488	33,597	3,039	1229‡	—	—	37,865	421	16,929	10,288	—	11,789	208	39,635	108,718
1888 -	108,718	30,456	2,607	749	—	—	33,812	408	15,943	8,795	—	10,702	149	35,997	106,533
1889 -	106,533	33,354	2,901	797	—	—	37,052	363	17,283	8,670	—	13,122	462	39,900	103,685

* Two Regiments were not inspected in 1874. † Four regiments were not inspected in 1875.
‡ Including 678 who received the Queen's pardon under General Order 102 of 1887.

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TABLE 117.—Return showing the Per-centage of Desertions from the Militia to the Recruits enrolled between the Trainings from 1872 to 1879, between the Training of 1879 and 1st January 1880, and during the years from 1880 to 1889.

Recruits enrolled between Trainings.		Deserters and Absentees struck off after Training.		Per-centage of Deserters and Absentees struck off to Recruits enrolled.
Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.	
1872–3	27,259	1873	9,105	33
1873–4	25,324	1874	8,549	34
1874–5	29,587	1875	9,487	35
1875–6	31,337	1876	10,670	34
1876–7	40,821	1877	14,046	34
1877–8	42,561	1878	13,188	31
1878–9	34,032	1879	9,698	28
Between Inspection 1879 and 1st January 1880	13,762	—	—	—
Recruits enrolled during				
Year.	Number.			
1880	32,224	1880	9,299	29
1881	25,484	1881	7,530	29
1882	26,545	1882	6,942	26
1883	35,524	1883	11,330	32*
1884	41,980	1884	8,492	20
1885	43,309	1885	10,924	25
1886	42,503	1886	10,680	25
1887	36,636	1887	10,288	28
1888	30,456	1888	8,795	29
1889	33,354	1889	8,670	26

* This large per-centage of deserters and absentees struck off, and recruits enrolled, is due to the large number (4,411) struck off the strength of the Irish Militia; that force not having been assembled for training between 1880 and 1883.

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TABLE 118.—ENROLLED STRENGTH of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY at the dates of the annual inspections of the several corps in each year from 1874 to 1889.

Year.	By Ranks.				By Countries.		
	Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Trumpeters and Privates.	All Ranks.	English regiments.	Scotch regiments.	Total.
1874	843	1,674	10,298	12,815	12,149	666	12,815
1875	830	1,650	9,983	12,463	11,760	703	12,463
1876	833	1,635	9,625	12,093	11,081	1,012	12,093
1877	783	1,608	9,279	11,670	10,611	1,059	11,670
1878	788	1,864	9,828	12,480	11,385	1,095	12,480
1879	Not inspected in 1879.						

	Officers.	Permanent Staff Sergeants & Sergeants.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	All Ranks.			
1880, 1st January	772	1,115	198	9,925	12,010	10,928	1,082	12,010
1880, dates of inspections	758	1,214	197	9,429	11,598	10,526	1,072	11,598
1881, dates of inspections	697	1,135	187	8,598	10,617*	9,551*	1,066	10,617
1882, dates of inspections	716	1,240	203	9,014	11,173	10,135	1,038	11,173
1883, dates of inspections	737	1,242	207	9,018	11,204	10,156	1,048	11,204
1884, dates of inspections	726	1,238	200	9,324	11,488	10,437	1,051	11,488
1885, dates of inspections	712	1,291	226	9,361	11,590	10,536	1,054	11,590
1886, dates of inspections	706	1,293	207	9,293	11,499	10,416	1,083	11,499
1887, dates of inspections	718	1,296	199	9,054	11,267	10,202	1,065	11,267
1888, dates of inspections	704	1,296	193	8,768	10,961	9,908	1,053	10,961
1889, dates of inspections	698	1,172	194	8,646	10,710	9,684	1,026	10,710

* Two regiments not inspected in 1881.

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TABLE 119.—STATE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE in each year from 1870 to 1889.

ALL RANKS.														
Year.	Maximum Establishment.	Supernumeraries authorised.	Efficient.	Non-efficient.	Number enrolled.	Extra-efficient.	Officers and Sergeants who have obtained certificates of proficiency.	Officers who have passed in Tactics.	Who have passed in Signalling.		Present at Inspection.	Per-centage of enrolled members who were		
									Officers.	Non-Com. Officers.		Efficient.	* Extra-efficient.	Present at Inspection.
1870	244,966	—	170,671	23,222	193,893	113,761	8,457	—	—	—	139,901	88·02	72·7	72·15
1871	246,232	—	172,619	19,989	192,608	117,721	10,638	—	—	—	138,334	89·62	75·6	71·82
1872	244,818	—	160,737	17,542	178,279	114,080	11,582	—	—	—	137,922	90·16	79·02	77·36
1873	240,067	—	153,216	18,721	171,937	—	12,911	—	—	—	135,115	89·11	—	78·58
1874	236,685	3,252	161,100	14,287	175,387	—	14,152	—	—	—	139,858	91·85	—	79·74
1875	238,261	3,333	168,709	12,371	181,080	—	14,869	—	—	—	145,753	93·16	—	80·49
1876	238,059	3,653	174,184	11,317	185,50	—	15,525	—	—	—	151,753	93·89	—	81·8
1877	240,120	4,956	182,810	10,216	193,026	—	16,306	—	—	—	159,378	94·7	—	82·56
1878	244,263	5,182	194,191	9,022	203,213	—	17,054	—	—	—	170,209	95·55	—	83·75
1879	245,185	5,421	197,485	8,780	206,265	—	17,411	—	—	—	174,646	95·75	—	84·67
1880	243,546	1,060	196,938	9,599	206,537	—	17,284	—	—	—	173,473	95·35	—	83·99
1881	245,429	610	200,162	8,146	208,308	—	17,479	—	—	—	175,651	96·08	—	84·32
1882	246,119	550	199,374	7,962	207,336	—	17,621	328	—	—	175,878	96·16	—	84·83
1883	247,842	—	202,428	6,937	209,365	—	17,897	485	—	—	179,739	96·69	—	85·85
1884	249,419	—	208,365	6,650	215,015	—	18,147	627	—	—	184,282	96·91	—	85·71
1885	250,967	—	218,207	5,805	224,012	—	18,368	728	—	—	194,838	97·42	—	86·98
1886	253,935	—	221,105	5,647	226,752	—	18,698	789	—	—	196,293	97·51	—	86·57
1887	255,478	—	221,491	6,547	228,038	—	18,921	904	4	—	197,269	97·12	—	86·5
1888	257,743	—	220,124	6,345	226,469	—	19,096	1,086	27	—	196,707	97·19	—	86·86
1889	259,583	—	216,999	7,022	224,021	—	19,133	1,226	48	81	191,007	96·87	—	85·26

* This column does not apply to Artillery Volunteers.

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Months.	ALL RANKS.															
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.				Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	Total.
			Horse	Field.	Mountain.	Garrison.										
1st January -	1,302	17,658	3,791	13,948	1,304	16,053	7,058	5,807	133,909	2,494	3,388	764	274	70	2,398	210,218
1st February -	1,298	17,678	3,784	14,243	1,299	16,070	7,096	5,822	133,975	2,500	3,404	763	276	77	2,398	210,683
1st March -	1,302	17,602	3,752	14,329	1,258	16,112	7,144	5,793	132,916	2,498	3,400	761	283	80	2,402	209,632
1st April -	1,299	17,556	3,840	14,450	1,241	16,140	7,144	5,754	131,544	2,504	3,385	758	289	80	2,348	208,332
1st May -	1,291	17,520	3,827	14,373	1,227	16,070	7,159	5,717	131,049	2,505	3,368	754	289	79	2,340	207,568
1st June -	1,283	17,451	3,786	14,238	1,195	16,105	7,183	5,660	130,968	2,545	3,381	749	287	79	2,338	207,248
1st July -	1,286	17,428	3,782	14,235	1,186	16,116	7,229	5,600	131,172	2,544	3,366	744	286	79	2,346	207,399
1st August -	1,286	17,422	3,759	14,198	1,210	16,166	7,260	5,590	131,849	2,586	3,374	743	288	79	2,348	208,158
1st September -	1,289	17,495	3,738	14,191	1,239	16,179	7,312	5,551	132,693	2,653	3,387	737	289	80	2,360	209,193
1st October -	1,297	17,580	3,735	14,100	1,352	16,118	7,314	5,547	133,357	2,697	3,400	748	294	80	2,380	209,999
1st November -	1,297	17,672	3,797	14,053	1,351	16,169	7,298	5,534	134,461	2,731	3,430	799	302	80	2,378	211,352
1st December -	1,288	17,567	3,759	14,104	1,335	16,245	7,292	5,528	134,033	2,755	3,425	788	299	80	2,362	210,860
Average during 1890 - -	1,294	17,552	3,779	14,205	1,266	16,129	7,208	5,658	132,660	2,585	3,393	759	288	79	2,366	209,221

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TABLE 2.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the Regular Army, *by Ranks*, on the first day of each month during the year 1890, and the average strength during the year.

Months.	ALL RANKS.					
	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.
1st January 1890	7,538	832	13,056	3,360	185,432	210,218
1st February „	7,492	827	13,038	3,361	185,965	210,683
1st March „	7,518	828	13,012	3,363	184,911	209,632
1st April „	7,528	828	13,007	3,364	183,605	208,332
1st May „	7,491	830	13,009	3,375	182,863	207,568
1st June „	7,516	829	12,950	3,355	182,598	207,248
1st July „	7,521	832	12,978	3,373	182,695	207,399
1st August „	7,561	828	13,033	3,374	183,362	208,158
1st September „	7,534	827	13,166	3,382	184,284	209,193
1st October „	7,506	828	13,201	3,380	185,084	209,999
1st November „	7,562	828	13,217	3,384	186,361	211,352
1st December „	7,551	825	13,194	3,379	185,911	210,860
Average during 1890 -	7,527	828	13,072	3,371	184,423	209,221

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TABLE 3.—AVERAGE STRENGTH of the Army in England, Scotland, Ireland, and Abroad, during 1890, distinguishing the number of Officers, Warrant Officers, and Men, and the different arms of the service.

	Cavalry.			Royal Artillery.			Royal Engineers.			Infantry, &c.			All Arms.			Total.
	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	
England and Wales -	371	30	8,253	531	49	15,253	445	64	4,404	1,480	275	43,998	2,827	418	71,908	75,153
Scotland - - -	23	2	437	13	2	256	9	3	75	100	18	3,011	145	25	3,779	3,949
Ireland - - -	134	11	3,069	60	6	1,635	30	8	443	700	93	20,377	924	118	25,524	26,566
Total at Home - -	528	43	11,759	604	57	17,144	484	75	4,922	2,280	386	67,386	3,896	561	101,211	105,668
Colonies and Egypt -	33	2	787	192	21	4,404	122	5	1,297	797	110	23,085	1,144	138	29,573	30,855
India - - -	252	18	5,424	480	9	12,468	300	–	3	1,455	103	52,186	2,487	130	70,081	72,698
Total Abroad - -	285	20	6,211	672	30	16,872	422	5	1,300	2,252	213	75,271	3,631	268	99,654	103,553
General Average during 1890 -	813	63	17,970	1,276	87	34,016	906	80	6,222	4,532	599	142,657	7,527	829	200,865	209,221
	18,846			35,379			7,208			147,788			209,221			

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TABLE 4.—DISTRIBUTION of the Army, according to the latest returns received on the 1st January 1891, showing the Effectives and Establishment of each Arm.

	ALL RANKS.															
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.				Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	West India and Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	General Total.
			Horse.	Field.	Mountain.	Garr.										
AT HOME:—																
England	1,295	7,083	1,643	6,242	190	7,183	4,758	4,161	34,338	—	2,523	494	119	39	1,472	71,540
Jersey	—	—	—	—	—	139	4	—	781	—	2	1	2	—	11	940
Guernsey and Alderney	—	—	—	—	—	168	2	—	626	—	—	1	1	—	8	806
Scotland	—	468	—	114	—	150	81	—	3,242	—	16	14	5	1	52	4,143
Ireland	—	3,588	261	856	—	587	505	739	19,564	—	613	77	35	3	334	27,162
Total	1,295	11,139	1,904	7,212	190	8,227	5,350	4,900	58,551	—	3,154	587	162	43	1,877	104,591
ON PASSAGE FROM HOME TO Ceylon	—	—	—	—	—	—	94	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	214
ON PASSAGE FROM HOME TO Singapore	—	—	—	—	—	120		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120
ON PASSAGE FROM HOME TO Hong Kong	—	—	—	—	—	120	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120
ON PASSAGE FROM— Gibraltar to Hong Kong	—	—	—	—	—	—	79	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	79
ON PASSAGE From Malta to India	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	720	—	—	—	—	—	—	720
ON PASSAGE Home from India	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	670	—	—	—	—	—	—	670
EGYPT (including Drafts on passage out)	—	190	—	—	—	145	111	—	2,588	—	64	58	5	—	79	3,240
IN THE COLONIES (including Drafts on passage out)	—	509	—	—	164	4,391	1,329	617	18,113	2,773	154	139	39	37	404	28,669
EAST INDIES (including Drafts on passage out) —																
Bengal	—	3,798	1,197	3,734	841	1,818	1	—	32,618	—	—	—	41	—	—	44,048
Bombay	—	606	321	1,906	—	775	1	—	8,937	—	—	—	34	—	—	12,580
Madras	—	1,358	349	1,319	120	616	1	—	11,360	—	—	—	18	—	—	15,141
On Particular Service, &c.	—	—	16	33	—	39	339	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	427
Total	—	5,762	1,883	6,992	961	3,248	342	—	52,915	—	—	—	93	—	—	72,196
General Total at Home and Abroad	1,295	17,600	3,787	14,204	1,315	16,251	7,305	5,517	133,557	2,773	3,372	784	299	80	2,360	210,499
Establishment	1,299	17,791	3,711	13,970	1,308	16,694	7,366	5,888	135,342	5,230	3,368	747	277	80	2,396	215,467

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TABLE 5.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH and ESTABLISHMENT of each Arm of the Service, in Rank and File, on the 1st January 1891, and the number supernumerary or required to complete the Establishment.

Corps.	Effectives.	Establishment.	Wanting to complete.	Supernumeraries.
Household Cavalry	1,027	1,029	2	—
Cavalry of the Line	15,167	15,357	190	—
Royal Artillery — Horse	3,376	3,304	—	72
Royal Artillery — Field	12,796	12,546	—	250
Royal Artillery — Mountain	1,152	1,146	—	6
Royal Artillery — Garrison	14,210	14,625	415	—
Royal Engineers	5,325	5,302	—	23
Foot Guards	4,856	5,220	364	—
Infantry of the Line	120,020	121,783	1,763	—
Colonial Corps	2,447	4,699	2,252	—
Army Service Corps	2,559	2,540	—	19
Ordnance Store Corps	599	555	—	44
Corps of Armourers	16	17	1	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	1	—	—	1
Medical Staff Corps	1,996	2,026	30	—
General Total	185,547	190,149	5,017	415
			4,602	—

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TABLE 6.—DISTRIBUTION of the Regiments and Depôts of Cavalry and Infantry, Batteries of Artillery, Companies of Engineers, &c., &c. on the 1st January 1891.

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery. Horse.		Field.		Mountain.	Garrison.		Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.		West India and Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.
	Regiments.	Regiments.	Depôts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Troop Dvsns., Comps.	Battalions.	Battalions.	Regtl. Depôts.	Batteries or Companies.	Comps.	Comps.	Divisions.
AT HOME:—																		
England	3	10 (and 6 Tps.)	10	7	2	31	4	1	31	7	35	5	36	51	—	29	4	12
Jersey	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Guernsey and Alderney	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Scotland	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	10	—	—	—	1
Ireland	—	6	—	2	—	6	—	—	3	1	5	1	25	8	—	8	—	4
Total	3	17 (and 6 Tps.)	10	9	2	38	4	1	36	9	40	6	65	69	—	37	4	17
ON PASSAGE FROM HOME: To Ceylon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE FROM HOME: To Singapore.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE FROM HOME: To Hong Kong.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE from Gibraltar to Hong Kong.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE: From Malta to India.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE: Home from India.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Egypt	—	(2 Tps.)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 6—*continued.*

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.							Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.		West India and Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.
				Horse.		Field.		Mountain.	Garrison.									
	Regiments.	Regiments.	Depôts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Troops, Dvsns., Comps.	Battalions.	Battalions.	Regtl. Depôts.	Batteries or Companies.	Comps.	Comps.	Divisions.
IN THE COLONIES:—																		
Gibraltar	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	4	—	4	—	—	—	—	—
Malta	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	2	—	6 (and 4 Cos.)	—	4	—	—	—
Cyprus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(4 Cos.)	—	—	—	—	—
West Africa Settlements	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—
Cape of Good Hope	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—		—	—	—	—	—
Natal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
St. Helena	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—
Mauritius	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—		—	1	—	—	—
Ceylon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	1	—	2	—	—	—
China and Hong Kong	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	1	—	2	—	—	—
Straits Settlements	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	1	—	2	—	—	—
Dominion of Canada	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Bermuda	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Barbados, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	(5 Cos.)	—	4	—	—	—
Jamaica, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	(3 Cos.)	—	9	—	—	—
Total	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	31	—	18	1	20	—	32	—	—	—
EAST INDIES:—																		
Bengal	—	6	—	7	—	22	—	7	15	—	1	—	31	—	—	—	—	—
Bombay	—	1	—	2	—	12	—	—	7	—	1	—	9	—	—	—	—	—
Madras	—	2	—	2	—	8	—	1	5	—	1	—	11	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	9	—	11	—	42	—	8	27	—	3	—	51	—	—	—	—	—
General Total at Home and Abroad	3	28	10	20	2	80	4	10	97	9	64*	7	141	69	32†	37	4	17
				22		84			106									

* Exclusive of 1 Company not formed on 1st January 1891.

† Exclusive of Indian Infantry Battalion for Hong Kong and 8 Companies not formed on 1st January 1891.

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TABLE 7.—AVERAGE STRENGTH of the Army in England, Scotland, Ireland, and Abroad, during each year from 1871 to 1890, distinguishing the number of Officers and Men.

Year.	OFFICERS.						WARRANT OFFICERS.						NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN.						General Total.	Year.
	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Total at Home.	Abroad.	Total Officers.	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Total at Home.	Abroad.	Total Warrant Officers.	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Total at Home.	Abroad.	Total Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.		
1871	3,495	169	1,216	4,880	4,314	9,194							71,147	3,293	26,437	100,877	82,594	183,471	192,665	1871
1872	3,480	171	1,197	4,848	4,144	8,992							69,994	3,298	26,014	99,306	83,709	183,015	192,007	1872
1873	3,487	207	1,121	4,815	3,877	8,692							67,637	3,741	24,390	95,768	83,919	179,687	188,379	1873
1874	3,317	208	996	4,521	3,763	8,284							67,577	4,000	21,537	93,114	84,991	178,105	186,389	1874
1875	3,171	218	1,002	4,391	3,691	8,082							66,308	3,955	22,539	92,802	83,785	176,587	184,669	1875
1876	3,156	213	996	4,365	3,776	8,141							67,201	3,824	21,756	92,781	83,511	176,292	184,433	1876
1877	3,122	209	968	4,294	3,766	8,060							72,185	3,674	21,751	97,610	84,832	182,442	190,502	1877
1878	3,105	196	894	4,195	3,750	7,945							77,495	4,437	23,074	105,006	87,807	192,813	*200,758	1878
1879	2,881	163	791	3,835	4,007	7,842							62,633	3,854	17,893	84,380	99,068	183,448	191,290	1879
1880	2,989	186	869	4,044	3,773	7,817							64,308	3,820	19,715	87,843	93,326	181,169	188,986	1880
1881	2,722	180	1,052	3,954	3,658	7,612							58,909	3,610	25,473	87,992	93,194	181,186	188,798	1881
1882	2,568	146	1,104	3,818	3,518	7,336	291	18	93	402	209	611	58,466	3,445	28,164	90,075	91,207	181,282	189,229	1882
1883	2,550	135	1,029	3,714	3,479	7,193	290	16	91	397	214	611	59,281	3,185	23,494	85,960	88,207	174,167	181,971	1883
1884	2,473	134	971	3,578	3,519	7,097	293	16	94	403	220	623	59,399	3,250	23,364	86,013	89,271	175,284	183,004	1884
1885	2,262	130	856	3,248	3,827	7,075	302	19	83	404	267	671	59,919	3,788	24,220	†87,927	102,391	†190,318	198,064	1885
1886	2,546	136	874	3,556	3,662	7,218	333	19	89	441	241	682	66,574	3,578	23,908	94,060	101,845	195,905	203,805	1886
1887	2,720	142	896	3,758	3,513	7,271	342	19	88	449	233	682	73,124	3,626	25,810	102,560	99,061	201,621	209,574	1887
1888	2,733	143	897	3,773	3,549	7,322	342	20	90	452	230	682	72,135	3,568	26,985	102,688	100,413	203,101	211,105	1888
1889	2,812	145	942	3,899	3,589	7,488	413	24	122	559	267	826	71,482	3,720	26,296	101,498	100,486	201,984	210,298	1889
1890	2,827	145	924	3,896	3,631	7,527	418	25	118	561	268	829	71,908	3,779	25,524	101,211	99,654	200,865	209,221	1890

N.B.—Regiments on passage out and home are included with the numbers "ABROAD."

* The increase in the average strength of the Army during this year is due to the Mobilisation of the First Class Army and Militia Reserves during three months of the period.

† In addition to these a force of Militia of an average strength of 5,352 of all ranks was embodied during a portion of the year.

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TABLE 8.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH, according to the latest returns received, on the 1st January in each year from 1872 to 1891, showing the Number of each Arm.

Year.	ALL RANKS.															Year.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Gds.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	*Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	All Arms.	
1872	1,290	16,414	5,726	27,701	5,502	6,521	122,875	3,452	2,431		—		760		192,672	1872
1873	1,296	16,377	5,590	28,891	5,602	6,298	120,367	3,329	2,978		—		687		191,415	1873
1874	1,280	16,092	5,709	28,294	5,649	5,822	117,441	2,352	2,950		—		1,046		186,635	1874
1875	1,283	16,060	5,681	28,777	5,627	5,633	116,727	2,376	2,988		—		1,280		186,432	1875
1876	1,286	16,298	5,337	28,341	5,665	5,540	114,974	2,231	3,005		—		1,272		183,949	1876
1877	1,288	16,547	5,491	29,803	5,698	5,853	118,704	2,185	3,001		—		1,445		190,015	1877
1878	1,287	16,412	5,751	28,980	5,773	5,998	119,185	2,287	3,001		—		1,571		190,245	1878
1879	1,271	16,203	5,786	29,320	6,011	5,940	120,359	2,316	2,433	542	—		1,752		191,933	1879
1880	1,299	16,425	5,583	28,365	5,695	5,996	121,327	2,330	2,444	553	—		1,787		191,804	1880
1881	1,281	15,903	5,603	28,027	5,568	5,990	119,235	2,330	2,450	595	—		1,976		188,958	1881
1882	1,286	15,503	5,172	27,791	5,483	5,762	120,788	2,404	2,426	585	—		1,933		189,133	1882
1883	1,286	15,657	4,599	28,408	5,625	5,697	124,021	2,284	2,940	601	—	—	2,272	7	193,397	1883
1884	1,280	15,291	4,508	27,151	5,460	5,619	114,283	2,357	2,517	595	—	18	2,148	—	181,227	1884
1885	1,339	15,951	4,163	27,745	5,701	6,232	119,583	2,308	2,794	596	—	34	2,211	—	188,657	1885
1886	1,343	16,826	4,209	29,086	6,066	6,251	128,534	2,291	2,814	682	—	47	2,536	—	200,785	1886
1887	1,312	18,122	4,232	30,035	6,272	5,861	133,906	2,414	2,821	689	—	50	2,643	—	208,357	1887
1888	1,293	17,967	3,874	31,900	6,681	5,923	134,444	2,536	3,017	676	—	59	2,651	—	211,021	1888
1889	1,293	17,851	3,566	31,562	6,764	5,691	135,404	2,560	3,140	732	—	66	2,401	—	211,030	1889
1890	1,302	17,658	3,791	31,305	7,058	5,807	133,909	2,494	3,388	764	274	70	2,398	—	210,218	1890
1891	1,295	17600	3,787	31,770	7,305	5,517	133,557	2,773	3,372	784	299	80	2,360	—	210,499	1891

* Brought on the Regimental Establishment as a Corps on 1st April 1889.

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TABLE 9.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH on the 1st January in each year from 1872 to 1891, showing the different ranks.

Years.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Serjeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	All Ranks.
1872	9,052	—	12,632	4,003	166,985	192,672
1873	8,847	—	12,531	3,770	166,267	191,415
1874	8,298	—	12,567	3,691	162,079	186,635
1875	8,156	—	12,485	3,643	162,148	186,432
1876	8,093	—	12,578	3,638	159,640	183,949
1877	8,140	—	12,618	3,618	165,639	190,015
1878	7,913	—	12,420	3,546	166,366	190,245
1879	7,866	—	12,721	3,512	167,834	191,933
1880	7,862	—	12,548	3,485	167,909	191,804
1881	7,725	—	12,479	3,434	165,320	188,958
1882	7,391	—	12,777	3,310	165,655	189,133
1883	7,281	598	12,297	3,387	169,834	193,397
1884	7,074	624	12,173	3,327	158,029	181,227
1885	7,016	633	12,429	3,324	165,255	188,657
1886	7,168	688	12,706	3,358	176,865	200,785
1887	7,164	686	12,693	3,353	184,461	208,357
1888	7,278	683	12,810	3,411	186,839	211,021
1889	7,441	828	12,846	3,406	186,509	211,030
1890	7,538	832	13,056	3,360	185,432	210,218
1891	7,560	823	13,203	3,366	185,547	210,499

TABLE 10.—EFFECTIVES, ESTABLISHMENTS, and number wanting to complete or supernumerary, in Rank and File, on the 1st January in each year from 1872 to 1891.

Years.	Effectives.	Establishments.	Wanting to complete.	Supernumerary.
1872	166,985	170,029	3,044	—
1873	166,267	169,395	3,128	—
1874	162,079	161,031	—	1,048
1875	162,148	160,929	—	1,219
1876	159,640	160,537	897	—
1877	165,639	166,191	552	—
1878	166,366	164,877	—	1,489
1879	167,834	165,885	—	1,949
1880	167,909	164,115	—	3,794
1881	165,320	164,923	—	397
1882	165,655	163,401	—	2,254
1883	169,834	168,863	—	971
1884	158,029	165,386	7,357	—
1885	165,255	167,864	2,609	—
1886	176,865	180,130	3,265	—
1887	184,461	186,834	2,373	—
1888	186,839	186,180	—	659
1889	186,509	187,135	626	—
1890	185,432	189,426	3,994	—
1891	185,547	190,149	4,602	—

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TABLE 11.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of each arm of the service reported during the year 1890.

	NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN.																
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.				Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	West India and Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	All Arms.
			Horse.	Field.	Mountain.	Garrison.											
Effectives on the 1st January 1890.	1,217	16,865	3,649	13,486	1,254	15,349	6,079	5,564	129,555	2,375	3,063	681	274	69	2,368	—	201,848
Increase.																	
Recruits joined { Long Service	144	76	20	66	—	131	88	28	733	352	14	4	35	11	12	—	1,714
Recruits joined { Short Service	—	2,817	76	2,881	1	2,294	896	1,193	18,563	149	443	17	—	—	346	17	29,693
	144	2,893	96	2,947	1	2,425	984	1,221	19,296	501	457	21	35	11	358	17	31,407
Joined from desertion	4	158	16	116	4	92	24	51	1,077	2	14	—	—	—	7	—	1,565
From Army Reserve	—	6	—	—	—	2	1	—	10	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	24
Other causes	18	—	502	—	201	—	9	—	—	—	87	73	8	—	—	—	898
Total Increase	166	3,057	614	3,063	206	2,519	1,018	1,272	20,383	507	558	95	43	11	365	17	33,894
Decrease.																	
Dead	5	162	45	123	13	145	40	34	1,007	30	18	5	4	—	17	—	1,738
Discharged	147	1,211	201	819	76	1,065	272	454	6,986	141	129	20	15	1	181	—	11,718
Struck off as Deserters	17	425	51	387	20	336	46	99	2,699	11	28	3	—	—	12	—	4,134
To Army Reserve. On completion of service.	—	813	277	837	82	433	205	935	8,286	—	141	—	—	—	76	—	12,085
To Army Reserve. On conversion of service.	—	388	35	140	1	35	214	14	760	40	271	38	—	—	89	17	2,042
To Army Reserve. Relegated	—	12	—	—	—	3	—	2	53	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	72
To Army Reserve. On demobilisation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To Auxiliary Forces	5	22	8	28	3	76	—	10	505	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	662
Given up as deserters	—	12	—	12	—	2	—	3	46	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	75
Other causes	—	70	—	459	—	241	—	8	299	3	—	—	—	—	20	—	1,100
Total decrease	174	3,115	617	2,805	195	2,336	777	1,559	20,731	225	588	66	19	1	401	17	33,626
Nett Increase	—	—	—	258	11	183	241	—	—	282	—	29	24	10	—	—	268
Nett Decrease	8	58	3	—	—	—	—	287	348	—	30	—	—	—	36	—	—
Effectives on the 1st January 1891.	1,209	16,807	3,646	13,744	1,265	15,532	6,320	5,277	129,207	2,657	3,033	710	298	79	2,332	—	202,116

N.B.—The figures in this table represent the increase and decrease of the army as *reported in the returns received month by month* during 1890, and do not in every case correspond with the *actual number of Recruits and Casualties during the year* as shown in tables 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, and 20.

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TABLE 12.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Army reported during each month of the year 1890.

—	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men—All Arms.												
	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total since commencement of the year.
Effectives on the 1st of the month	201,848	202,364	201,286	199,976	199,247	198,903	199,046	199,769	200,832	201,665	202,962	202,484	(1st Jan. 1891.) 202,116
Increase.													
Recruits joined — Long Service	136	132	155	125	145	107	144	151	138	203	137	141	1,714
Recruits joined — Short Service	2,954	2,165	2,263	1,990	1,907	2,204	2,643	2,789	2,549	3,003	2,844	2,382	29,693
	3,090	2,297	2,418	2,115	2,052	2,311	2,787	2,940	2,687	3,206	2,981	2,523	31,407
Joined from desertion	132	105	117	124	130	124	121	142	133	165	132	140	1,565
From Army Reserve	—	1	6	2	3	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	24
Other causes*	8	—	—	19	—	—	—	58	40	—	—	—	125
Total Increase	3,230	2,403	2,541	2,260	2,185	2,437	2,910	3,141	2,861	3,373	3,115	2,665	33,121
Decrease													
Dead	132	145	144	145	162	139	142	117	150	175	156	131	1,738
Discharged	991	998	1,006	1,015	1,039	1,146	985	941	887	877	895	938	11,718
Struck off as deserters	387	312	373	333	290	307	337	301	402	337	343	412	4,134
To Army Reserve — On completion of service	1,025	1,441	1,936	1,185	725	474	486	529	452	458	1,990	1,384	12,085
To Army Reserve — On conversion of service	116	442	276	213	138	120	102	134	87	160	157	97	2,042
To Army Reserve — Relegated	7	8	2	5	3	9	8	9	5	7	4	5	72
To Army Reserve — On demobilisation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To Auxiliary Forces	49	57	80	89	83	45	46	39	39	52	42	41	662
Given up as deserters	7	5	7	4	11	8	7	8	6	6	3	3	75
Other causes*	—	73	27	—	78	46	74	—	—	4	3	22	327
Total Decrease	2,714	3,481	3,851	2,989	2,529	2,294	2,187	2,078	2,028	2,076	3,593	3,033	32,853
Nett Increase	516	—	—	—	—	143	723	1,063	833	1,297	—	—	268
Nett Decrease	—	1,078	1,310	729	344	—	—	—	—	—	478	368	—

* Principally interchanges between the different branches of the Service.

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TABLE 13.—RECRUITS reported as served with notices and passed into the Service, casualties between being served with notices and final approval and nett result of recruiting in the UNITED KINGDOM during the year 1890; also the agencies by which the men were raised, the number obtained during each month in England, Scotland, and Ireland, respectively, and the total number obtained during the year in each District or Regimental District, for the Regiment and for the Army generally.

Months.	Persons served with Notices by Recruiters.	Rejected prior to Attestation.	Failed to come up for Attestation.	Other Causes.	Attested.	After Attestation.			Passed into the Service.	Recruiting Agencies.													Where raised.			
						Rejected.	Deserted.	Other Causes.		At Head Quarters of Regmts.	Regimental Districts.					Artillery Sub-Districts.	London, Dublin, and Liverpool Recruiting Districts.					Passed into the Service.	In England.	In Scotland.	In Ireland.	Passed into the Service.
											Depots.	Staff of Reserve Forces.	Pensioners.	Line Parties.	Total.		District Staff.	Staff of Reserve Forces.	Pensioners.	Line Parties.	Total.					
January -	6,016	1,730	756	1	3,529	310	11	3	3,186	194	380	1,341	116	172	2,009	416	167	45	71	284	567	3,186	2,574	203	409	3,186
February -	4,476	1,231	774	-	2,471	208	25	-	2,255	103	282	909	88	135	1,414	240	151	74	76	197	498	2,255	1,790	205	260	2,255
March - -	4,596	1,365	710	1	2,520	188	16	-	2,316	118	246	972	110	125	1,453	259	186	68	43	189	486	2,316	1,824	199	293	2,316
April - -	4,164	1,285	695	6	2,178	120	12	4	2,030	120	229	821	100	88	1,238	212	146	56	66	192	460	2,030	1,585	193	252	2,030
May - -	3,985	1,197	659	6	2,123	126	8	2	1,998	107	247	800	94	92	1,233	199	136	33	61	229	459	1,998	1,592	156	250	1,998
June - -	4,614	1,438	772	4	2,400	123	15	3	2,251	84	377	915	107	108	1,507	182	120	81	72	205	478	2,251	1,842	162	247	2,251
July - -	5,500	1,622	888	7	2,983	187	22	5	2,759	115	371	1,070	147	200	1,788	219	186	126	78	247	637	2,759	2,162	221	376	2,759
August - -	5,678	1,835	852	3	2,988	187	25	8	2,771	152	431	1,101	117	130	1,779	212	133	114	89	292	628	2,771	2,162	289	320	2,771
September -	5,523	1,625	938	6	2,954	188	32	8	2,731	119	386	1,085	125	149	1,745	195	155	129	91	297	672	2,731	2,212	227	292	2,731
October -	6,002	1,591	997	4	3,410	211	36	10	3,154	178	446	1,333	137	189	2,105	289	168	101	54	259	582	3,154	2,620	214	320	3,154
November -	5,888	1,747	847	5	3,289	270	21	9	2,987	142	505	1,239	141	118	2,003	293	123	102	64	260	549	2,987	2,479	219	289	2,987
December -	4,992	1,487	740	5	2,760	247	22	7	2,480	124	407	1,068	84	87	1,646	264	114	75	54	203	446	2,480	2,004	197	279	2,480
General Total	61,434	18,153	9,628	48	33,605	2,365	245	59	30,918	1,556	4,307	12,654	1,366	1,593	19,920	2980	1,785	1,004	819	2,854	6,462	30,918	24,846	2,485	3,587	30,918

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TABLE 13 (*continued*).—RECRUITS raised in Recruiting Districts and Regimental and Sub-Districts during 1890.

Regimental District.	Head-quarters.	Passed into the Service.		Regimental District.	Head-quarters.	Passed into the Service.	
		Total for the Army.	For the Regiment and included in foregoing column.			Total for the Army.	For the Regiment and included in foregoing column.
1	Glencorse -	296	97	53	Shrewsbury -	191	135
2	Guildford -	348	254	57	Hounslow -	274	97
3	Canterbury -	273	149	60	Winchester -	—	—
4	Lancaster -	215	94	62	Devizes -	176	114
5	Newcastle-on-Tyne.	305	140	63	Ashton-under-Lyne.	941	277
6	Warwick -	1,206	373	64	Lichfield - -	346	249
7	Hounslow -	352	92	65	Pontefract -	241	122
8	Warrington -	122	70	68	Newcastle-on-Tyne.	204	93
9	Norwich -	267	139				
10	Lincoln - -	109	49	71	Hamilton -	581	147
11	Exeter - -	336	171	72	Fort George -	60	56
12	Bury St. Edmunds.	210	173	75	Aberdeen -	107	53
				79	Inverness -	29	24
13	Taunton -	325	184	83	Belfast -	679	219
14	York - -	296	125	87	Armagh -	128	109
15	Beverley - -	92	45	88	Galway -	163	121
16	Bedford -	259	151	91	Stirling -	203	108
17	Leicester -	417	149	94	Winchester -	—	—
18	Clonmel -	376	281	100	Birr - -	147	67
19	Richmond -	185	123	101	Tralee - -	196	117
20	Bury - -	547	243	102	Naas - -	170	110
21	Ayr - -	95	65				
22	Chester - -	225	55	Total in Infantry Regimental Districts - - -		19,920	9,329
23	Wrexham -	164	140				
24	Brecon - -	205	130				
25	Berwick-on-Tweed.	47	30	Artillery Sub-Districts.	Sunderland -	302	120
26	Hamilton -	528	101		Chester - -	107	39
27	Omagh - -	117	79		Great Yarmouth	561	293
28	Bristol - -	824	195		Devonport -	195	117
29	Worcester -	348	129		Newport, Mon. -	155	76
30	Burnley -	181	88		Gosport - -	214	139
31	Kingston-on-Thames.	369	241		Dover - -	380	169
					Woolwich -	325	189
32	Bodmin - -	86	40		Edinburgh -	101	66
33	Halifax -	366	156		Aberdeen -	88	34
34	Carlisle - -	108	60		Londonderry -	352	147
35	Chichester -	390	175		Fort Westmoreland, Cork Harbour.	200	110
37	Winchester -	581	285				
38	Lichfield -	214	138				
39	Dorchester -	228	137	Total in Artillery Sub-Districts -		2,980	1,499
40	Warrington -	203	140				
41	Cardiff -	221	104	Recruiting Districts	London	5,031	109
42	Perth - -	275	122		Liverpool	509	59
43	Oxford -	256	113		Dublin -	922	66
44	Warley -	506	280				
45	Derby - -	579	228	Total in Recruiting Districts -		6,462	234
47	Preston -	410	130				
48	Northampton -	355	200				
49	Reading -	233	155	At Head-quarters of Regiments -		1,556	—
50	Maidstone -	197	130				
51	Pontefract -	237	163	General Total -		30,918	11,062

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TABLE 14.—AGES of the RECRUITS who joined the Regular Army during 1890.

Corps.	Under 17 years.	17 and under 18 years.	18 and under 19 years.	19 and under 20 years.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 years and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry -	2	—	45	32	17	21	15	9	2	1	—	144
Cavalry of the Line -	78	15	1,065	751	430	257	147	80	51	16	3	2,893
Royal Artillery -	212	23	2,906	995	479	282	228	159	165	20	—	5,469
Royal Engineers -	88	14	173	183	175	142	90	68	25	26	—	984
Foot Guards - -	24	1	466	345	127	113	76	43	22	4	—	1,221
Infantry of the Line -	752	204	10,282	3,896	1,677	1,038	661	409	302	67	8	19,296
Colonial Corps -	9	—	62	105	108	67	51	35	37	19	8	501
Army Service Corps -	14	2	232	89	49	34	18	12	5	2	—	457
Ordnance Store Corps -	4	—	7	1	4	1	2	—	—	2	—	21
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	10	16	4	5	—	—	35
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	2	4	1	—	11
Medical Staff Corps -	12	—	148	65	45	35	19	10	12	12	—	358
Army Post Office Corps -	—	—	—	1	1	6	2	6	—	1	—	17
Total - - -	1,195	259	15,386	6,463	3,112	2,008	1,327	837	630	171	19	31,407
	23,303				8,085							

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TABLE 15.—HEIGHTS, CHEST MEASUREMENTS, and WEIGHTS at date of enlistment of Recruits who joined the Regular Army during 1890.

Corps.	Heights.							Chest Measurements.						Weights.					
	Under 5 ft. 4 in.	5 ft. 4 in. to 5 ft. 5 in.	5 ft. 5 in. to 5 ft. 6 in.	5 ft. 6 in. to 5 ft. 7 in.	5 ft. 7 in. and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 33 inches.	33 inches and under 34 inches.	34 inches and under 35 inches.	35 inches and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 120 lbs.	120 lbs. and under 125 lbs.	125 lbs. and under 130 lbs.	130 lbs. and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	2	1	—	—	141	—	144	2	5	12	125	—	144	2	2	1	139	—	144
Cavalry of the Line	65	10	49	859	1,907	3	2,893	109	444	1,482	855	3	2,893	185	348	601	1,756	3	2,893
Royal Artillery	930	605	994	1,040	1,900	—	5,469	465	1,629	1,961	1,414	—	5,469	1,043	1,025	955	2,446	—	5,469
Royal Engineers	73	96	186	311	318	—	984	100	76	317	491	—	984	144	105	135	600	—	984
Foot Guards	21	1	2	1	1,196	—	1,221	38	120	438	625	—	1,221	31	47	96	1,047	—	1,221
Infantry of the Line	3,537	4,366	5,216	2,721	3,418	8	19,296	3,607	6,987	5,666	3,028	8	19,296	6,452	4,312	3,584	4,940	8	19,296
Colonial Corps	13	50	93	87	250	8	501	28	126	147	192	8	501	27	59	96	311	8	501
Army Service Corps	276	92	54	16	19	—	457	34	183	158	82	—	457	252	90	59	56	—	457
Ordnance Store Corps	6	3	3	5	4	—	21	11	4	2	4	—	21	7	6	2	6	—	21
Corps of Armourers	—	4	6	10	15	—	35	—	10	21	4	—	35	6	16	8	5	—	35
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	1	—	2	—	8	—	11	—	2	2	7	—	11	—	—	—	11	—	11
Medical Staff Corps	138	101	72	23	24	—	358	43	171	108	36	—	358	134	76	66	82	—	358
Army Post Office Corps	—	1	5	3	8	—	17	—	12	3	2	—	17	2	3	4	8	—	17
Total	5,062	5,330	6,682	5,076	9,238	19	31,407	4,437	9,769	10,317	6,865	19	31,407	8,285	6,089	5,607	11,407	19	31,407

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TABLE 16.—NUMBER of RECRUITS joined at Home during the Year 1890, the Number of such Recruits who have become Non-effective within Three Months of the Date of Enlistment, and the Number serving at the expiration of Three Months from Date of Enlistment.

Month.	Number of Recruits joined.	Casualties within three months of Date of Enlistment.								Total serving on Army Engagement at the expiration of Three Months from Date of Enlistment.
		Dead.	Deserted.	Claimed Discharge under sec. 81, Army Act, 1881.	Discharged for Fraudulent Enlistment or for making false answers on attestation.	Discharged as Invalids.	Discharged as not likely to become efficient Soldiers.	Discharged for other causes.	Total.	
January - -	3,058	5	52	123	10	2	43	11	246	2,812
February - -	2,263	3	41	87	13	—	19	11	174	2,089
March - - -	2,381	2	60	103	16	1	25	17	224	2,157
April - -	2,072	—	64	86	14	1	20	13	198	1,874
May -	1,981	—	65	83	9	1	19	16	193	1,788
June - -	2,275	1	69	76	7	1	16	17	187	2,088
July - - -	2,723	—	63	85	10	1	34	18	211	2,512
August - -	2,829	1	80	106	12	1	30	17	247	2,582
September - -	2,619	2	72	110	21	4	28	14	251	2,368
October - -	3,136	—	89	102	13	3	31	21	259	2,877
November - -	2,922	1	91	86	12	1	30	17	238	2,684
December - -	2,487	3	85	81	14	1	30	10	224	2,263
Total - -	30,746	18	831	1,128	151	17	325	182	2,652	28,094
Proportion per 1,000 of Recruits joined -	—	·59	27·03	36·69	4·91	·55	10·57	5·92	86·26	913·74

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TABLE 17.—RE-ENGAGEMENTS and EXTENSIONS of SERVICE during 1890.

Corps.	Re-engagements while serving.					Men enlisted for short service who extended their engagement.											
						To complete a period of 12 years.						To complete other periods of service.					
	After 9 years' service.	After 10 years' service.	After 11 years' service.	After 12 years' service.	Total.	Under 3 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	Total.	Under 3 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1	—	27	—	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cavalry of the Line	5	4	111	36	156	—	11	12	28	187	238	—	—	—	—	—	—
Royal Artillery	44	43	287	35	409	5	245	124	185	378	937	—	—	—	—	—	—
Royal Engineers	9	10	76	5	100	1	2	4	21	126	154	99	1	—	—	—	100
Foot Guards	7	2	34	1	44	—	—	—	21	49	70	483	—	—	—	—	483
Infantry of the Line	136	157	594	72	959	41	76	129	402	1,295	1,943	1	1	—	—	16	18
Colonial Corps	—	—	12	1	13	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Army Service Corps	5	12	31	3	51	—	—	3	19	85	107	213	3	—	—	—	216
Ordnance Store Corps.	1	4	8	—	13	1	—	2	3	18	24	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Armourers	1	4	1	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	13	9	30	2	54	—	5	16	26	68	115	147	—	—	—	—	147
Total	222	245	1,211	155	1,833	48	339	290	705	2,207	3,589	943	5	—	—	16	964

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TABLE 18.—NUMBER of MEN reported as DISCHARGED from each Arm of the Service during 1890, causes of discharge, and the number of Pensions granted.

Corps	On completion of service.			As Invalids.	By indulgence.		By claim under the provisions of Sec. 81 Army Act, 1881.	On conviction of making a false answer on attestation.	For misconduct.	Other causes.	Total.	Pensions granted.	
	After 21 years' service.	Prematurely, after 18 years' service. Royal Warrant for Pay, &c.	After 1st period.		Purchase.	Free.						Permanent.	Temporary.
Household Cavalry -	17	4	27	28	38	2	11	—	12	8	147	24	12
Cavalry of the Line -	97	34	107	311	247	38	219	15	87	56	1,211	171	128
Royal Artillery - -	272	118	279	405	251	84	204	42	391	115	2,161	448	143
Royal Engineers -	63	10	23	69	52	1	22	1	17	14	272	78	22
Foot Guards - -	32	6	24	113	50	6	107	15	51	50	454	43	14
Infantry of the Line -	591	231	583	2,277	909	218	733	153	973	318	6,986	1,239	960
Colonial Corps - -	12	2	14	56	10	6	3	2	21	15	141	23	21
Army Service Corps -	15	11	6	21	10	1	8	—	25	32	129	71	5
Ordnance Store Corps -	4	1	3	4	3	1	—	—	2	2	20	15	2
Corps of Armourers -	8	1	1	2	1	—	1	—	1	—	15	10	2
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	15	13	4	35	13	6	5	—	23	67	181	35	11
Total - -	1,126	431	1,071	3,321	1,584	363	1,313	228	1,603	678	11,718	2,157	1,320

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TABLE 19.—AGES of the men Discharged from each Arm of the Service during 1890.

Corps.	Under 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	Upwards of 40 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry -	17	6	9	14	9	2	11	7	5	6	—	10	8	8	6	4	3	1	4	1	3	13	—	147
Cavalry of the Line -	228	114	117	87	79	78	67	50	52	28	9	18	43	51	17	10	11	15	19	18	35	65	—	1,211
Royal Artillery - -	444	151	118	103	104	106	73	71	69	57	34	60	97	77	59	51	35	45	38	41	93	235	—	2,161
Royal Engineers -	21	23	27	23	21	15	13	17	9	5	7	1	3	5	5	2	3	5	1	4	9	53	—	272
Foot Guards - -	140	40	45	40	33	30	28	19	11	8	4	4	2	2	2	3	3	1	1	6	7	27	—	456
Infantry of the Line -	1345	567	474	481	517	510	435	352	250	190	137	253	175	125	100	66	77	71	97	121	198	376	69	6,986
Colonial Corps - -	10	8	5	5	5	13	7	8	2	4	8	6	10	7	2	7	5	5	5	7	3	12	—	144
Army Service Corps -	29	15	9	8	6	7	3	2	2	2	2	1	4	3	3	1	1	3	6	5	8	9	—	129
Ordnance Store Corps -	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	1	1	2	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	2	2	4	1	20
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	10	—	15
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Medical Staff Corps -	38	18	14	11	10	10	4	4	6	8	4	2	5	3	6	2	1	5	5	5	7	13	—	181
Total - -	2272	942	819	773	784	772	642	532	407	310	205	356	348	282	201	146	139	151	177	210	368	817	70	11,723
		6,186										2,378												

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TABLE 20.—NUMBER of DESERTIONS from each Arm of the Service during 1890, showing the services of the men, the number who rejoined, and the nett loss from desertion.

Corps.	Under 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 9 months.	9 to 12 months.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	Over 3 years.	Service not stated.	Total Deserted.	Proportion of Desertions per 1,000 Men.	Rejoined from Desertion.	No. of Deserters who having fraudulently enlisted have been held to serve in corps in which they have enlisted.	Nett loss from Desertion.	Proportion of nett loss from Desertion per 1,000 Men.
Household Cavalry -	—	—	1	1	2	3	2	10	—	17	14	4	—	13	10
Cavalry of the Line -	116	79	51	34	280	35	36	77	—	428	26	158	—	270	16
Royal Artillery -	208	107	111	85	511	113	47	123	—	794	23	228	—	566	17
Royal Engineers -	8	6	4	8	26	12	5	3	—	46	7	24	—	22	4
Foot Guards - -	24	14	4	6	48	20	4	36	—	108	20	51	—	57	11
Infantry of the Line -	693	282	240	247	1,462	587	280	413	—	2,742	21	1,077	—	1,665	13
Colonial Corps -	3	—	2	1	6	2	1	6	—	15	6	2	—	13	5
Army Service Corps -	10	1	—	2	13	5	9	1	—	28	9	14	—	14	5
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	3	4	—	—	3	4
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	4	—	2	—	6	1	2	3	—	12	5	7	—	5	2
Total -	1,066	489	415	384	2,354	778	387	674	—	4,193	21	1,565	197	2,431	12

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TABLE 21.—TRANSFERS from the Regular Army to the First Class Army Reserve during 1890.

Services.	Transfers from											
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Royal Malta Artillery.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	Total.
Under 3 years -	—	—	49	92	—	2	—	—	1	—	17	161
After 3 years -	—	1	41	166	437	8	—	259	6	77	—	995
After 4 years -	—	13	28	14	—	17	—	79	18	23	—	192
After 5 years -	—	205	38	16	6	323	32	31	5	19	—	675
After 6 years -	—	115	17	7	4	335	6	14	6	10	—	514
After 7 years -	—	781	1,514	100	502	6,987	—	23	1	33	—	9,941
After 8 years -	—	51	101	21	1	375	2	4	—	1	—	556
After 9 years -	—	7	21	1	—	58	—	1	—	—	—	88
After 10 years -	—	8	17	1	—	894	—	1	1	1	—	923
After 11 years -	—	6	5	1	—	10	—	—	—	1	—	23
After 12 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 13 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 14 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 15 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 16 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 17 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not reported -	—	14	9	—	—	37	—	—	—	—	—	60
TOTAL -	—	1,201	1,840	419	950	9,046	40	412	38	165	17	14,128
On completion of Short Service with the Colours	—	813	1,629	205	936	8,286	—	141	—	75	—	12,085
On conversion of Army Service -	—	388	211	214	14	760	40	271	38	90	17	2,043
Total as above -	—	1,201	1,840	419	950	9,046	40	412	38	165	17	14,128
Relegated - -	—	12	3	—	2	53	—	1	—	1	—	72
Re-transferred on demobilisation of Army Reserve -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total transferred to Army Reserve	—	1,213	1,843	419	952	9,099	40	413	38	166	17	14,200

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TABLE 22.

INCREASE and DECREASE of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men reported during each year from 1871 to 1890 inclusive.

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TABLE 22.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Non-Commissioned Officers

Year.	Effectives on 1st January in each year.	Increase.						*Number of the Recruits joined who were proved to have fraudulently enlisted.*	*Number of Deserters who were held to serve in the corps in which they fraudulently enlisted, and who are not included in column "From Desertion."*
		Recruits joined.	From Desertion.	From Army Reserve.	From Militia Reserve.	Other causes.	Total Increase.		
1871	178,320	23,568	1,498	—	—	—	25,066	—	—
1872	183,620	17,791	1,855	20	—	—	19,666	—	—
1873	182,568	17,194	1,785	19	—	—	18,998	—	—
1874	178,337	20,640	2,052	27	—	—	22,719	—	—
1875	178,276	18,494	1,944	11	—	—	20,449	—	—
1876	175,856	29,370	2,063	21	—	—	31,454	—	—
1877	181,875	28,728	2,437	13	—	—	31,178	—	—
1878	182,332	28,325	2,751	13,125	21,730	—	65,931	—	—
1879	184,067	25,927	2,256	905	—	—	29,088	—	—
1880	183,942	25,622	1,557	3	—	—	27,182	—	—
1881	181,233	26,258	1,353	900	—	—	28,511	*312*	*481*
1882	181,742	23,802	1,297	10,840	—	—	35,939	*170*	*234*
1883	185,518	33,096	1,266	39	—	—	34,401	*170*	*182*
1884	173,529	35,653	1,568	1,415	—	—	38,636	*168*	*235*
1885	181,008	39,971	1,885	4,685	—	—	46,541	*251*	*298*
1886	192,929	39,409	1,864	31	—	—	41,304	*304*	*330*
1887	200,507	31,225	*2,061	29	—	—	33,315	*410*	**1,826*
1888	203,060	25,153	1,737	29	—	—	26,919	*183*	*271*
1889	202,761	29,401	1,526	27	—	37	30,991	*154*	*200*
1890	201,848	31,407	1,565	24	—	—	32,996	*147*	*197*

* Including men who received the Queen's pardon under General Order 102 of 1887.

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and Men reported during each year from 1871 to 1890 inclusive.

Year.	Decrease.										Nett Increase.	Nett Decrease.	Effectives on 31 Dec. in each year.
	Dead.	Discharged.	Deserted.	To Army Reserve.	To Militia Reserve.	To Auxiliary Forces.	* Given up as Deserters.	Struck off on Conviction Fraudulent Enlistment.	Other causes.	Total Decrease.			
1871	2,220	10,162	4,553	2,237	—	—	—	—	594	19,766	5,300	—	183,620
1872	2,546	11 553	5,861	17	—	—	343	—	398	20,718	—	1,052	182,568
1873	2,046	13,513	5,702	1,030	—	—	435	—	503	23,229	—	4,231	178,337
1874	2,011	13,255	5,572	744	—	—	588	—	610	22,780	—	61	178,276
1875	2,161	14,235	4,382	712	—	—	549	—	830	22,869	—	2,420	175,856
1876	1,998	16,209	4,878	712	—	—	663	—	975	25,435	6,019	—	181,875
1877	1,708	15,723	5,058	6,039	—	—	830	763	600	30,721	457	—	182,332
1878	2,171	15,198	5,406	17,697	21,637	—	727	804	556	64,196	1,735	—	184,067
1879	4,069	15,206	4,067	4,120	—	—	627	588	536	29,213	—	125	183,942
1880	3,186	15,866	4,823	4,936	—	—	243	168	659	29,891	—	2,709	181,233
1881	2,570	14,209	4,394	6,108	—	253	141	†—	327	28,002	509	—	181,742
1882	2,140	15,612	4,143	8,370	—	675	130	—	‡1,093	32,163	3,776	—	185,518
1883	1,707	16,072	3,707	23,528	—	788	109	—	479	46,390	—	11,989	173,529
1884	1,521	12,939	4,478	§ 11,199	—	736	154	—	130	31,157	7,479	—	181,008
1885	2,588	12,726	5,147	‖ 12,775	—	636	191	—	557	34,620	11,921	—	192,929
1886	2,721	13,311	5,402	11,210	—	587	240	—	255	33,726	7,578	—	200,507
1887	1,946	11,905	5,355	10,701	—	580	143	—	132	30,762	2,553	—	203,060
1888	1,852	11,894	4,291	8,409	—	579	90	—	103	27,218	—	299	202,761
1889	1,869	12,342	4,261	12,692	—	654	86	—	—	31,904	—	913	201,848
1890	1,738	11,718	4,134	14,199	—	662	75	—	202	32,728	268	—	202,116

* Prior to 1872 the men who were "Given up as Deserters" to other corps are included in the column headed "Other causes."

† Included with discharged.

‡ Including 609 promoted to Warrant Officers.

§ Including 8,543 on demobilisation.

‖ Including 2,578 on demobilisation.

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TABLE 23.—NUMBER of RECRUITS who have joined the Service and short

Corps.	1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.	
	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.
Household Cavalry	158	—	174	—	147	—	168	—	128	—	145	—	136	—
Cavalry of the Line	645	2,100	567	1,920	376	2,563	258	2,323	180	1,717	117	1,271	66	1,991
Royal Artillery -	2,167	3,747	1,039	2,472	704	3,304	487	2,341	563	3,196	486	3,377	161	3,822
Royal Engineers -	37	602	29	655	49	1,195	45	223	40	402	34	368	37	476
Foot Guards -	288	1,005	161	1,064	68	862	49	871	58	898	65	563	34	592
Infantry of the Line	1,847	16,222	1,621	18,266	910	17,238	606	17,787	681	16,900	615	18,560	593	14,686
Colonial Corps -	178	14	217	45	172	14	186	5	199	10	208	80	200	—
Army Service Corps	165	177	174	215	80	241	155	97	4	222	15	159	14	545
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	15	47	27	41	21	58	16	36	1	66
*Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	16	2	109	—	52	288	7	251	6	339	4	149	10	272
Army Post Office Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	100
General Total -	5,501	23,869	4,091	24,637	2,573	25,752	1,988	23,939	1,880	23,742	1,695	24,563	1,252	22,550
	29,370		28,728		28,325		25,927		25,622		26,258		23,802	

N.B.—General Order 34 of 1874 defined the proportions in which Recruits for long and short service respectively were permitted to be enlisted for the several arms of the service.

Under General Orders 51 of 1874 and 53 of 1875 recruits for the Royal Artillery and Foot Guards were permitted to be enlisted for long and short service indiscriminately.

Under Army Circular 1874 (Cl. 67) short service in the Cavalry, Artillery, and Engineers consisted of 8 years in the ranks and 4 years with the reserve, and in the Infantry and Army Service Corps of 6 years in the ranks and 6 years with the reserve.

* Brought on the Regimental Establishment as a Corps on 1st April 1889.

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since 1875, showing those who enlisted in each Arm for long service respectively.

1883.		1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.		1888.		1889.		1890.	
Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.
150	—	214	—	197	—	156	—	157	—	129	—	168	—	144	—
61	2,075	61	3,616	54	3,465	72	4,660	65	2,704	75	2,374	69	2,482	76	2,817
255	3,767	307	4,819	191	5,563	206	5,721	199	4,775	255	4,024	230	5,339	217	5,252
38	527	61	837	87	1,051	78	846	52	953	78	623	79	866	88	896
74	1,653	42	1,670	28	1,076	40	992	45	1,221	40	784	40	1,167	28	1,193
752	21,712	751	21,613	640	26,071	712	24,262	722	18,904	683	15,159	687	17,015	733	18,563
377	—	248	—	306	16	390	47	259	144	185	92	204	65	352	149
14	308	14	732	19	465	14	614	24	560	18	375	8	562	14	443
2	68	6	70	5	139	2	54	1	49	9	17	2	29	4	17
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	35	—
13	—	16	—	15	—	3	—	10	—	9	—	4	—	11	—
6	342	9	559	3	578	15	519	9	369	3	147	4	357	12	346
—	2	—	8	—	2	—	6	—	3	—	74	—	13	—	17
1,742	31,354	1,729	33,924	1,545	38,426	1,688	37,721	1,543	29,682	1,484	23,669	1,506	27,895	1,714	29,693
33,096		35,653		39,971		39,409		31,225		25,153		29,401		31,407	

Under General Order 18 of 1878 all enlistments for Infantry of the Line, except men specially enlisted and boys under 16 years of age, were to be for *short service.*

Under General Order 80 of 1881 short service in the Cavalry, Artillery, Engineers, Foot Guards, Infantry of the Line, and Departmental Corps, consists of 7 years in the ranks and 5 years with the reserve.

Under General Order 90 of 1883 short service in the Foot Guards consisted of 3 years in the ranks and 9 years with the reserve.

Under General Order 66 of 1887 short service in the Royal Engineers consists of 7 years in the ranks and 5 years in the reserve; or 3 years in the ranks and 9 years in the reserve; and in the Army Service Corps and Medical Staff Corps of 3 years in the ranks and 9 years in the reserve.

Under Army Order 254 of 1890 short service in the Foot Guards consists of 7 years in the ranks and 5 years in the reserve, or 3 years in the ranks and 9 years in the reserve.

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TABLE 24.—NUMBER of RECRUITS enlisted, attested, finally approved, and sent to regiments, showing the number rejected, deserted, &c., and the nett result of recruiting, in the UNITED KINGDOM, during each year from 1871 to 1890.

Year.	Enlisted.	After Enlistment.				Attested.	After Attestation.			Finally approved.	After final Approval.			Sent to or joined regiments.	Year.
		Primarily rejected.	Absconded.	Paid Smart.	Other causes.		Rejected.	Deserted.	Other causes.		Deserted.	Purchased discharge.	Other causes.		
1871	35,185	8,019	592	2,911	84	23,586	1,218	271	39	22,049	94	16	7	21,927	1871
1872	28,426	6,341	566	2,470	68	18,976	1,038	256	51	17,650	119	15	12	17,507	1872
1873	25,634	5,387	519	1,990	84	17,661	678	304	78	16,602	—	—	—	16,602	1873
1874	30,356	5,415	677	2,588	159	21,517	793	323	89	20,312	—	—	—	20,312	1874
1875	27,469	4,700	659	2,468	125	19,517	677	361	104	18,375	—	—	—	18,375	1875
1876	44,713	8,317	1,064	4,143	233	30,985	1,150	562	157	29,116	—	—	—	29,116	1876
1877	43,991	8,650	1,035	3,739	204	30,334	1,322	605	127	28,280	—	—	—	28,280	1877
1878	42,734	8,441	903	3,248	217	29,925	1,115	525	176	28,109	—	—	—	28,109	1878
1879	—	—	—	—	—	27,108*	1,061	345	108	25,594	—	—	—	25,594	1879
	Persons served with Notices by Recruiters.	Rejected prior to Attestation.	Failed to come up for Attestation.												
1880	44,298	10,572	6,490		99	27,137	1,149	343	97	25,535	—	—	—	25,535	1880
1881	45,360	10,394	7,611		162	27,193	1,288	336	49	25,499	—	—	—	25,499	1881
1882	45,385	11,271	8,841		164	25,109	1,216	279	70	23,555	—	—	—	23,555	1882
1883	61,804	15,389	11,285		343	34,787	1,523	283	48	32,924	—	—	—	32,924	1883
1884	65,300	17,050	9,503		539	38,209	2,093	278	71	35,754	—	—	—	35,754	1884
1885	68,536	17,521	8,660		66	42,289	2,343	344	74	39,552	—	—	—	39,552	1885
1886	71,786	20,183	9,725		79	41,799	2,410	370	48	38,953	—	—	—	38,953	1886
1887	58,645	18,001	7,463		122	33,059	2,003	279	62	30,751	—	—	—	30,751	1887
1888	47,503	14,973	5,918		20	26,592	1,616	214	40	24,726	—	—	—	24,726	1888
1889	53,676	15,680	6,660		10	31,326	1,994	200	5	29,117	—	—	—	29,117	1889
1890	61,434	18,153	9,628		48	33,605	2,365	245	59	30,918	—	—	—	30,918	1890

* By section 77, Army Discipline and Regulation Act, 1879, it is provided that Enlistment and Attestation are identical.

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TABLE 24—*continued.*

Year.	Recruiting Agencies.								Where raised.				
	Head Quarter Recruits.	District and Sub-District Recruits.				Artillery Sub-Districts.	Cavalry Districts.	Total.	In England.	In Scotland.	In Ireland.	Total.	Year.
		Brigade and Regimental Depôts.	Staff of Reserve Forces.	Pensioners.	Line Parties.								
1871	6,879	—	—	7,947	7,101	—	—	21,927	18,015	1,547	2,365	21,927	1871
1872	5,859	—	—	6,274	5,374	—	—	17,507	14,525	1,096	1,886	17,507	1872
1873*	4,862	2,216	1,130	4,603	3,566	225	—	16,602	13,431	1,057	2,114	16,602	1873
1874	5,404	4,236	2,451	4,477	3,183	561	—	20,312	15,676	1,789	2,847	20,312	1874
1875	4,589	4,593†	1,970	4,060	2,565	579	19	18,375	14,285	1,540	2,550	18,375	1875
1876	6,274	7,745†	4,469	6,470	3,237	920	1	29,116	23,228	2,267	3,621	29,116	1876
1877	5,506	7,054†	5,551	6,481	3,044	644	—	28,280	22,929	2,047	3,304	28,280	1877
1878	5,786	7,162†	5,126	6,575	2,960	500	—	28,109	22,134	2,545	3,430	28,109	1878
1879	4,941	6,753†	4,929	5,999	2,825	147	—	25,594	19,994	2,185	3,415	25,594	1879
1880	5,469	6,656†	5,715	5,088	2,310	297	—	25,535	19,810	1,894	3,831	25,535	1880
1881	4,387	6,653†	7,569	4,160	2,087	643	—	25,499	20,683	1,876	2,940	25,499	1881
1882	3,216	5,347†	8,181	2,869	2,832	1,110	—	23,555	18,840	2,250	2,465	23,555	1882
1883	2,650	5,152†	13,829	3,277	5,093	2,923	—	32,924	27,025	2,920	2,979	32,924	1883
1884	2,847	6,188†	15,788	2,762	4,452	3,717	—	35,754	28,203	3,668	3,883	35,754	1884
1885	2,895	8,296†	17,724	2,651	3,697	4,289	—	39,552	31,149	4,112	4,291	39,552	1885
1886	2,657	7,574†	18,252	2,531	3,904	4,035	—	38,953	30,764	3,780	4,409	38,953	1886
1887	2,559	6,609†	13,576	1,934	2,966	3,107	—	30,751	23,958	3,196	3,597	30,751	1887
1888	1,684	4,576†	11,792	1,643	2,712	2,319	—	24,726	19,427	2,506	2,793	24,726	1888
1889	1,740	5,175†	13,499	1,994	3,818	2,891	—	29,117	24,077	2,350	2,690	29,117	1889
1890	1,556	6,092†	13,658	2,185	4,447	2,980	—	30,918	24,846	2,485	3,587	30,918	1890

* The new system for the localisation of the forces under which the country was divided for recruiting purposes into 66 Sub-Districts came into operation on the 1st April 1873, from which date the old Recruiting Districts (with the exception of London and Dublin) were abolished.

† Including the Staff of the London and Dublin, and since 1884, the Liverpool, Recruiting Districts.

N.B.—Recruits raised for the Colonial Corps and others enlisted *abroad* are not included in this table; nor the men raised for the Household Cavalry and Foot Guards prior to 1872.

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TABLE 25.—AGES of the RECRUITS who joined the Regular Army in each Year from 1874 to 1890.

Year.	Under 17 years.	17 and under 18 years.	18 and under 19 years.	19 and under 20 years.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 years and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
1874 - - -	913	290	5,782	5,000	2,854	2,044	1,455	1,173	1,046	95	1	20,653
1875 - - -	948	210	5,173	4,260	2,497	1,763	1,389	1,092	1,032	146	—	18,510
1876 - - -	965	234	7,620	6,378	3,782	2,947	2,296	1,817	1,670	1,659	—	29,368
1877 - - -	868	190	7,375	5,961	4,102	2,962	2,383	2,049	2,022	773	—	28,685
1878 - - -	976	195	6,822	5,474	4,015	3,210	2,586	2,125	2,294	338	—	28,035
1879 - - -	932	135	5,359	4,913	4,282	2,881	2,493	2,190	2,348	363	—	25,896
1880 - - -	1,021	156	6,611	5,510	3,667	2,525	2,081	1,785	1,968	289	—	25,613
1881 - - -	933	77	3,901	9,508	3,713	2,426	1,959	1,650	1,764	249	—	26,180
1882 - - -	999	28	199	11,992	3,805	2,158	1,683	1,240	1,323	271	114	23,812
1883 - - -	1,193	59	7,988	11,573	4,491	2,743	1,870	1,481	1,459	238	23	33,118
1884 - - -	1,252	65	10,950	10,219	4,060	2,861	2,199	1,828	1,852	382	—	35,668
1885 - - -	1,060	39	13,644	10,422	4,345	3,133	2,458	1,919	2,228	682	43	39,973
1886 - - -	1,170	33	14,626	9,224	4,337	3,153	2,391	1,997	2,071	339	68	39,409
1887 - - -	1,092	74	12,575	6,307	3,334	2,608	2,050	1,536	1,394	259	5	31,234
1888 - - -	1,080	135	10,617	5,301	2,805	1,998	1,393	952	692	153	30	25,156
1889 - - -	1,121	247	14,053	5,779	3,165	2,042	1,395	795	670	129	9	29,405
1890 - - -	1,195	259	15,386	6,463	3,112	2,008	1,327	837	630	171	19	31,407

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TABLE 26.—RE-ENGAGEMENTS and Extensions of Service since the passing of the Army Enlistment Act of 1870.

Period.	Re-engagements while serving.								Men enlisted for short service who extended their engagement.		Year.
	After 6 years' service.	After 7 years' service.	After 8 years' service.	After 9 years' service.	After 10 years' service.	After 11 years' service.	Service not stated.	Total.	On completing first term.	After discharge.‡‡	Total.	To complete a period of 12 years.	To complete periods of less than 12 years.	
1870–1†	1,405	861	1,130	590	181	150	—	4,317	1,836	136	6,289	—	—	1870–1
April to December 1871	1,266	476	496	129	45	75	—	2,487	966	6	3,459	—	—	1871
1872	1,096	834	527	235	109	151	—	2,952		3	2,955	—	—	1872
1873	1,265	746	597	362	131	182	8	3,291		6	3,297	—	—	1873
1874	438	597	824	624	177	212	7	2,879		13	2,892	6	—	1874
1875	109	183	1,649	685	245	202	—	3,073		55	3,128	135	—	1875
1876	55	71	2,931	932	253	265	—	4,507	Included	111	4,618	375	—	1876
1877	34	48	1,869	863	280	302	—	3,396	in preceding	69	3,465	849	—	1877
1878	19	42	1,472	596	447	450	—	3,026	column.	14	3,040	871	—	1878
1879	14	17	257	491	300	792	—	1,871		8	1,879	767	179	1879
1880	—	—	25	1,448	420	844	—	2,737		—	2,737	649	188	1880
1881	—	—	3	316	513	920	—	1,752		—	1,752	479	265	1881
1882	—	3	1	97	111	1,720	—	1,932		—	1,932	672	442	1882
1883	—	—	6	86	115	1,381	—	1,588	—	—	1,588	§‖2,455	‖6,048	1883
1884	—	—	—	88	142	1,284	—	1,514	—	—	1,514	1,836	2,272	1884
1885	—	—	—	98	109	1,357	—	1,564	—	—	1,564	2,308	1,845	1885
1886	—	—	—	106	142	1,344	—	1,592	—	—	1,592	2,508	598	1886
1887	—	—	—	201	196	1,294	—	1,691	—	—	1,691	2,346	483	1887
1888	—	—	—	313	351	1,802	—	2,466	—	—	2,466	2,805	507	1888
1889	—	—	—	202	226	1,501	—	1,929	—	—	1,929	3,302	546	1889
1890	—	—	—	222	245	1,366	—	1,833	—	—	1,833	3,589	964	1890

† By the Army Enlistment Act of 1870, re-engagements were restricted to men in the last year of their first period of service, and by Royal Warrant dated 2nd June 1870 the extra pay of a penny a day on re-engagement was discontinued, and the scale of good-conduct pay revised. These restrictions do not apply to men enlisted under the Acts of 1847 and 1867. See Army Circular, 1872 (clause 111).

‡ By Royal Warrant of 27th February 1869, re-engagements after discharge were ordered to be discontinued. This restriction was withdrawn by Army Circular, 1875 (clause 109), and again revived by Army Circular, 1877 (clause 58).

§ A gratuity authorised to certain classes of men to extend their service (Army Circular, 1883, clause 111).

‖ A gratuity authorised to certain classes of men in India to extend their service (Indian Army Circular, 30 July 1883).

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TABLE 27.—NUMBER of MEN DISCHARGED during each year from 1871 to 1890, causes of discharge, and number of PENSIONS granted, whether permanent or temporary.

Year.	On completion of service.			As invalids.	By indulgence.		By Claim under the provisions of sec. 78 of Army Discipline and Regulation Act, 1879, and sec. 81 Army Act, 1881.	For misconduct.	For other causes.	Total.	Pensions granted.		Year.
	After 21 years' service.	After 18 years' service to Pension.	After first period.		Purchase.	Free.					Permanent.	Temporary.	
1871	1,498			3,697	2,109	1,541	—	1,032	285	10,162	2,149	2,549	1871
1872	1,177	71	1,080	3,868	2,839	851	—	1,683	126	11,695	2,196	2,482	1872
1873	1,973	163	1,129	3,456	2,994	914	—	2,065	819	13,513	2,868	1,806	1873
1874	1,761	93	2,072	3,996	2,653	818	—	1,648	223	13,264	3,061	1,010	1874
1875	2,621	41	2,658	3,593	2,847	620	—	1,667	191	14,238	3,965	1,593	1875
1876	5,055	51	1,957	3,955	2,853	461	—	1,682	195	16,209	6,847	1,571	1876
1877	3,852	107	1,815	4,278	2,970	375	—	2,003	323	15,723	5,810	1,267	1877
1878	2,534	1,511	860	5,438	2,058	261	—	1,811	725	15,198	6,738	1,488	1878
1879	4,878	145	987	4,070	2,144	193	353	2,091	342	15,203	7,049	1,423	1879
1880	4,403	48	1,456	3,964	2,645	247	976	1,826	301	15,866	5,716	1,585	1880
1881	3,468	20	1,205	3,712	2,171	337	1,245	1,474	577	14,209	4,320	1,718	1881
1882	3,067	228	2,946	3,545	2,209	469	1,179	1,294	675	15,612	4,121	1,742	1882
1883	1,547	52	4,897	3,374	2,108	818	1,505	1,059	712	16,072	2,716	1,559	1883
1884	1,462	35	2,250	2,962	1,853	871	1,750	940	816	12,939	2,427	1,197	1884
1885	1,569	149	1,735	3,581	1,448	362	1,909	1,008	965	12,726	2,648	1,196	1885
1886	1,681	287	2,136	2,789	1,770	312	1,664	1,332	1,340	13,311	2,659	1,014	1886
1887	1,486	378	1,321	2,646	1,493	252	1,280	1,854	1,195	11,905	2,505	845	1887
1888	1,757	424	1,638	2,750	1,339	264	918	2,020	784	11,894	2,844	918	1888
1889	1,590	584	1,692	2,908	1,682	368	1,042	1,636	840	12,342	2,907	1,059	1889
1890	1,126	431	1,071	3,321	1,584	363	1,313	1,603	906	11,718	2,157	1,320	1890

N.B.—Men discharged on reduction of Establishment are included in the column headed "For other causes."

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TABLE 28.—SERVICES of DESERTERS during each year from 1871 to 1890, the number who rejoined the Service, and proportion of Deserters to 1,000 men of the average strength.

Year.	Under 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	Under one year.	1 to 2 years.	Over 2 years.	Service not stated.	Total Deserted.	Proportion of Deserters to 1,000 Men.	Rejoined from Desertion.	Deserters held to serve in corps into which they have fraudulently enlisted.	Nett loss from Desertion.	Proportion of nett loss from Desertion to 1,000 men.	Year.
1871	581	679	845	2,105	664	1,769	15	4,553	25	1,498	—	3,055	16	1871
1872	626	562	908	2,096	1,507	2,237	21	5,861	32	1,855	—	4,006	22	1872
1873	861	642	723	2,226	954	2,491	31	5,702	32	1,785	—	3,917	22	1873
1874	1,219	807	819	2,845	670	2,044	23	5,582	31	2,052	—	3,530	20	1874
1875	898	547	776	2,221	682	1,468	2	4,373	25	1,944	—	2,429	14	1875
1876	1,315	675	723	2,713	717	1,405	—	4,835	27	2,063	—	2,772	16	1876
1877	1,369	801	1,002	3,172	672	1,147	—	4,991	27	2,437	—	2,554	14	1877
1878	1,416	769	932	3,117	936	1,153	200	5,406	28	2,751	—	2,655	14	1878
1879	1,062	618	782	2,462	606	1,051	27	4,146	23	2,256	—	1,890	10	1879
1880	1,141	560	850	2,551	713	1,383	186	4,833	26	*1,557	—	3,276	18	1880
1881	1,078	625	731	2,434	609	1,358	11	4,412	24	1,353	481	2,578	14	1881
1882	939	574	715	2,228	673	1,190	54	4,145	23	1,297	234	2,614	14	1882
1883	977	536	593	2,106	595	1,010	6	3,717	21	1,266	182	2,269	13	1883
1884	1,374	742	935	3,051	560	851	16	4,478	25	1,568	235	2,675	15	1884
1885	1,688	863	1,027	3,578	726	844	10	5,158	27	1,885	298	2,975	15	1885
1886	1,723	763	999	3,485	889	1,049	—	5,423	28	1,864	330	3,229	16	1886
1887	1,397	746	1,065	3,208	996	1,098	59	5,361	27	†2,061	†1,847	1,453	7	1887
1888	772	528	831	2,131	1,043	1,156	—	4,330	21	1,737	271	2,322	11	1888
1889	823	470	724	2,107	818	1,401	26	4,262	21	1,526	200	2,536	13	1889
1890	1,066	489	799	2,354	778	1,061	—	4,193	21	1,565	197	2,431	12	1890

N.B.—By Army Circular, 1876 (clause 59), the reward for the detection of deserters fraudulently enlisting into the Army was raised from 10*s.* to 1*l.*

* The reduction in the number "rejoined from desertion" may in part be attributed to the action of the Army Discipline and Regulation Act, whereby men who are discovered to have fraudulently enlisted are tried for that offence and dealt with in the corps into which they have fraudulently enlisted, instead of being relegated to their former corps and tried for desertion.

† Including men who received the Queen's pardon under General Order 102 of 1887.

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TABLE 29.—RETURN showing the proportion of DESERTIONS from the ARMY to the RECRUITS joined as reported during each year from 1871 to 1890.

Year.	Recruits Joined.	*Number of Recruits joined who were proved to have fraudulently enlisted.*	Deser-tions.	Per-centage of Deserters to Recruits.	Nett loss from Desertion.	Per-centage of nett loss to Recruits.
1871 -	23,568	—	4,553	19	3,055	13
1872 -	17,791	—	5,861	33	4,006	22
1873 -	17,194	—	5,702	33	3,917	23
1874 -	20,640	—	5,572	27	3,530	17
1875 -	18,494	—	4,382	24	2,429	13
1876 -	29,370	—	4,878	17	2,772	9
1877 -	28,728	—	5,058	17	2,554	9
1878 -	28,325	—	5,416	19	2,655	9
1879 -	25,927	—	4,063	16	1,890	7
1880 -	25,622	—	4,833	19	*3,276	13
1881 -	26,258	*312*	4,394	17	2,578	10
1882 -	23,802	*170*	4,145	17	2,614	11
1883 -	33,096	*170*	3,717	11	2,269	7
1884 -	35,653	*168*	4,478	12	2,675	7·5
1885 -	39,971	*251*	5,147	13	2,975	7·5
1886 -	39,409	*304*	5,402	13·7	3,229	8·2
1887 -	31,225	*410*	5,361	17·2	1,453	4·7
1888 -	25,153	*133*	4,331	17	2,322	9·2
1889 -	29,401	*154*	4,262	14·5	2,536	8·6
1890 -	31,407	*147*	4,193	13·3	2,431	7·7

* The increase in the nett loss from desertion may in part be attributed to the action of the Army Act, whereby men who are discovered to have fraudulently enlisted are tried for that offence and dealt with in the corps into which they have fraudulently enlisted, instead of being relegated to their former corps and tried for desertion.

By General Order 7 of 1872 the period of absence after which a soldier is struck off the strength of his regiment as a deserter was reduced from two months to 21 days.

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TABLE 30.—SERVICES of MEN transferred from the Regular Army to the 1st Class Army Reserve during each year since the date of the Army Enlistment Act of 1870.

Year.	Services of Men transferred.																Total.	On completion of Short Service with the Colours.	On conversion of Army Service.	Retransferred on demobilisation of Army Reserve.	Relegated.	Not stated.	Total transferred to Army Reserve.	Year.
	Under 3 years.	After 3 years.	After 4 years.	After 5 years.	After 6 years.	After 7 years.	After 8 years.	After 9 years.	After 10 years.	After 11 years.	After 12 years.	After 13 years.	After 14 years.	After 15 years.	After 16 years.	After 17 years.	Service not stated.								
1871	—	598	363	280	281	162	77	24	79	94	111	104	10	3	—	—	51	2,237	—	2,237	—	—	—	2,237	1871
1872	—	2	1	—	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	5	17	—	17	—	—	—	17	1872
1873	—	280	170	101	70	95	79	36	29	17	43	53	34	22	—	—	1	1,030	—	1,030	—	—	—	1,030	1873
1874	—	410	80	43	44	44	47	25	8	3	5	11	10	5	1	1	7	744	—	744	—	—	—	744	1874
1875	—	230	145	98	62	51	66	21	13	14	2	3	1	4	—	—	2	712	—	712	—	—	—	712	1875
1876	—	45	17	36	547	19	22	11	4	5	—	1	—	2	—	—	3	712	524	185	—	—	3	712	1876
1877	—	614	712	683	3,316	309	176	143	56	19	20	10	—	3	1	—	—	6,062	3,013	3,049	—	—	—	6,062	1877
1878	—	115	109	114	3,958	110	107	61	61	30	11	9	12	1	—	—	33	4,731	3,858	840	12,979	—	33	17,710	1878
1879	—	49	16	23	3,975	7	15	9	8	8	1	1	2	1	—	—	3	4,118	3,962	153	—	—	3	4,118	1879
1880	—	45	49	192	4,269	342	6	22	3	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	7	4,938	4,583	348	—	—	7	4,938	1880
1881	—	42	17	499	4,198	522	165	166	377	60	8	8	7	—	3	1	—	6,073	4,444	1,629	—	—	—	6,073	1881
1882	57	169	345	879	4,611	363	74	51	85	118	26	16	18	8	4	4	77	6,910	4,802	2,108	1,460	—	—	8,370	1882
1883	2	27	35	301	12,409	600	1450	37	51	29	—	—	—	1	1	—	48	14,991	14,279	712	8,538	—	—	23,529	1883
1884	53	90	99	566	8,067	274	1683	45	40	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	245	11,194	10,163	1,031	7	—	—	11,201	1884
1885	23	103	62	309	7,504	574	1377	39	17	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	117	10,128	9,560	568	2,578	69	—	12,775	1885
1886	47	639	200	962	7,025	213	1752	96	62	22	—	1	—	—	—	—	63	11,082	9,001	2,081	15	113	—	11,210	1886
1887	7	839	97	1958	4,775	965	1373	134	892	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	10,612	7,251	3,361	—	136	—	10,748	1887
1888	85	763	142	1515	1,060	1894	760	97	965	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	8,350	5,091	3,259	—	73	—	8,423	1888
1889	154	815	183	922	665	7280	1036	95	1480	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,669	10,226	2,443	—	57	—	12,726	1889
1890	161	995	192	675	514	9941	556	88	923	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	60	14,128	12,085	2,043	—	72	—	14,200	1890

N.B.—By G.O. 92 of 1877 cavalry soldiers having four years' service and upwards were permitted to transfer their services to the Army Reserve.

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TABLE 31.—Detail of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked from Home for Foreign Service during 1890, specifying the ages of the men embarked with detachments.

Corps.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.														Total of each Arm.
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total Regiments.	Under 18 years of age	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	Over 30 years.	Not reported.	Total Detachments.	
FOR INDIA.																					
Cavalry of the Line	1	41	6	466	513	17	5	74	159	91	67	31	32	8	5	5	4	1	13	—	512	1,025
Royal Artillery	5	41	10	570	621	16	1	23	695	340	233	143	76	60	40	19	23	3	53	1	1,726	2,347
Infantry of the Line	1	40	13	769	822	112	1	70	2,674	1,274	650	328	191	113	73	58	24	14	57	1	5,640	6,462
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	2	3	10	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	22	22
Total	—	122	29	1,805	1,956	145	7	168	3,528	1,707	952	505	309	182	120	83	51	18	123	2	7,900	9,856
FOR THE COLONIES.																					
Cavalry of the Line	1	44	7	422	473	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	473
Royal Artillery	2	11	4	214	229	25	101	114	111	69	61	49	27	13	10	6	8	4	11	—	609	838
Royal Engineers	3	14	6	214	234	7	11	26	35	31	24	22	13	13	7	7	8	7	16	—	227	461
Foot Guards	1	42	15	527	585	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	585
Infantry of the Line	2	79	32	1,558	1,669	109	109	533	777	404	231	146	125	80	18	15	5	3	19	5	2,579	4,248
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	2	3	2	5	3	1	6	—	25	25
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	5	7	9	1	1	4	1	—	15	—	50	50
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	1	1	1	1	—	—	1	—	9	9
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	5	4	—	4	—	16	16
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	18	27	14	12	10	7	9	7	7	6	22	—	154	154
Total	—	191	64	2,935	3,190	141	221	688	946	534	337	240	188	118	50	50	36	21	94	5	3,669	6,859
FOR EGYPT, &c.																					
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	2	1	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	10
Infantry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	7	33	23	61	31	24	19	13	5	—	—	1	3	3	—	223	223
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	4	—	8	8
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	2	1	1	2	—	—	2	—	12	12
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	5	5
Total	—	—	—	—	—	9	33	24	63	37	25	24	15	7	1	2	3	3	13	—	259	259
General Total	—	313	93	4,740	5,146	295	261	880	4,537	2,278	1,314	769	512	307	171	135	90	42	230	7	11,828	16,074

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TABLE 32.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked for INDIA during 1890.

—	From Home.							From Colonies.							From Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	1	41	6	466	513	512	1,025	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1,025
Royal Artillery	5	41	10	570	621	1,726	2,347	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	2,347
Infantry of the Line	1	40	13	769	822	5,640	6,462	2	78	31	1,337	1,446	—	1,446	1	28	14	794	836	—	836	4	8,744
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	22	22	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23
Total	—	122	29	1,805	1,956	7,900	9,856	—	79	31	1,337	1,447	—	1,447	—	28	14	794	836	—	836	—	12,139

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TABLE 33.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked for the COLONIES during 1890.

—	From Home.							From India.							From Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	1	44	7	422	473	—	473	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	473
Royal Artillery -	2	11	4	214	229	609	838	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	838
Royal Engineers -	3	14	6	214	234	227	461	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	461
Foot Guards -	1	43	15	527	585	—	585	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	585
Infantry of the Line	2	79	32	1,558	1,669	2,579	4,248	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	4,248
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	25	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	50	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	50
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	9	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	16	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	154	154	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	154
Total - -	—	191	64	2,935	3,190	3,669	6,859	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,859

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TABLE 34.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked for EGYPT during 1890.

—	From Home.							From India.							From Colonies.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	7	2	138	147	—	147	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	148
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	10	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
Infantry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	223	223	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	223
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	12	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5
Total	—	—	—	—	—	259	259	—	7	2	138	147	—	147	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	406

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TABLE 35.—Detail of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked at Home from Foreign Service during 1890, specifying the circumstances under which the men came home.

Corps.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.						Total of each arm.
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total Regiments.	Invalids.	Time expired men.	To join Army Reserve.	To join Depôt. or Home Battalion.	Other causes.	Total Detachments.	
FROM INDIA.												
Cavalry of the Line	¾	31	6	293	330	132	54	218	32	22	458	788
Royal Artillery	5	45	10	533	588	16	121	660	128	75	1,300	1,888
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1
Infantry of the Line	4	149	59	2,110	2,318	1,258	316	4,325	242	196	6,337	8,655
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	8	8
Total	—	225	75	2,936	3,236	1,707	491	5,203	410	293	8,104	11,340
FROM THE COLONIES.												
Cavalry of the Line	1	39	7	352	398	10	2	19	9	—	40	438
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	111	41	162	69	65	448	448
Royal Engineers	1	6	1	41	48	14	6	28	121	—	169	217
Infantry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	333	124	1,312	111	158	2,038	2,038
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	14	1	19	19
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	32	—	37	37
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	8	8
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	7	1	2	102	4	116	116
Total	—	45	8	393	446	480	177	1,524	466	228	2,875	3,321
FROM EGYPT.												
Cavalry of the Line	¼	10	2	103	115	—	2	2	11	—	15	130
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	4	4
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	4	5	—	11	11
Infantry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	47	7	19	15	39	127	127
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	33	2	41	41
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	31	—	33	33
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	13	3	18	18
Total	—	10	2	103	115	52	12	31	109	46	250	365
General Total	—	280	85	3,432	3,797	2,239	680	6,758	985	567	11,229	15,026

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TABLE 36.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked from INDIA during 1890.

	At Home.					In the Colonies.						In Egypt.						Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.				Detachments.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.				Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.				Detachments.		Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	
Cavalry of the Line	4	31	6	293	330	458	788	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	7	2	133	147	—	147	935
Royal Artillery	5	45	10	533	588	1,300	1,888	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,888
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Infantry of the Line	4	149	59	2,110	2,318	6,337	8,655	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8,655
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Total	—	225	75	2,936	3,236	8,104	11,340	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	7	2	133	147	—	147	11,487

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TABLE 37.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked from the COLONIES during 1890.

—	At Home.							In India.							In Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	1	39	7	352	398	40	438	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	438
Royal Artillery -	—	—	—	—	—	448	448	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	448
Royal Engineers -	1	6	1	41	48	169	217	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	217
Infantry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	2,038	2,038	2	78	31	1,337	1,446	—	1,446	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3,484
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	19	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	37	37	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Medical Staff Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	116	116	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	116
Total - -	—	45	8	393	446	2,875	3,321	—	79	31	1,337	1,447	—	1,447	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,768

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TABLE 38.—DETAIL OF REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked from EGYPT during 1890.

	At Home.								In India.								In the Colonies.								Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.				
	Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.		Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.		Number of.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.		Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	—	10	2	103	115	15	130		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	130
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	4	4		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	4
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	11	11		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	11
Infantry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	127	127		1	28	14	794	836	—	836		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		1	963
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	41	41		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	41
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	33	33		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	33
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	1	1		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	1
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	18	18		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	18
Total	—	10	2	103	115	250	365		—	28	14	794	836	—	836		—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	1,201

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TABLE 39.—REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked

Year.	—	For India.						
		Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.		Infantry of the Line.		All Arms.
		Regts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.	
1881	Regiments, &c.	–	25(1)	4	192	1	891	1,108(1)
	Detachments	–	264	–	898	–	5,067	6,229
	Total	–	289(1)	–	1,090	–	5,958	7,337(1)
1882	Regiments, &c.	–	—	–	—	–	9	9(2)
	Detachments	–	6	–	1,706	–	5,362	7,074
	Total	–	6	–	1,706	–	5,371	7,083(2)
1883	Regiments, &c.	1	432	6	423	1	895	1,750
	Detachments	–	1,110	–	1,239	–	7,600	9,949
	Total	–	1,542	–	1,662	–	8,495	11,699
1884	Regiments, &c.	1	377	4	253	1	891	1,521
	Detachments	–	387	–	1,238	–	5,847	7,472
	Total	–	764	–	1,491	–	6,738(7)	8,993(7)
1885	Regiments, &c.	1	594	5	272 (10)	–	281(10)	1,147(10)
	Detachments	–	632	–	1,490	–	7,507	9,629
	Total	–	1,226	–	1.762(10)	–	7,788(10)	10,776(10)
1886	Regiments, &c.	1	584	9	735(13)	–	281 (13)	1,600(13)
	Detachments	–	1,281	–	1,447	–	9,750	12,478
	Total	–	1,865	–	2,182 (13)	–	10,031 (13)	14,078 (13)
1887	Regiments, &c.	1	540	12	914	–	925	2,379
	Detachments	–	633	–	1,065	–	4,760	6,458
	Total	–	1,173	–	1,979	–	5,685(16)	8,837(16)
1888	Regiments, &c.	1	629	6	370	1	1,055	2,054
	Detachments	–	325	–	1,788	–	6,764	8,877
	Total	–	954	–	2,158	..	7,819(19)	10,931(19
1889	Regiments, &c.	1	520	4	290(22)	1	1,162(22)	1,972(22)
	Detachments	–	480	–	2,140	–	‡6,813	9,433
	Total	–	1,000	–	2,430(22)	–	‡7,975(24)	11,405(22)
189)	Regiments, &c.	1	513	5	621	1	822(25)	1,956(25)
	Detachments	–	512	–	1,726	–	5,640	7,900
	Total	–	1,025	–	2,347	–	6,462(25)	9,856(25)

* The numbers shown in this table are exclusive of any troops that may have proceeded between the Colonies and India.

† Including one battalion of Foot Guards (585 non-commissioned officers and men).

‡ Men belonging to Corps of Armourers included with infantry of the line.

(1) In addition, one regiment of cavalry (353 non-commissioned officers and men) proceeded from the Colonies to India.

(2) In addition, 3,626 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from Colonies and Egypt to India.

(3) In addition, two regiments of cavalry (808), one battery of artillery (190), and four battalions of infantry (2,682), in all 3,680 non-commissioned officers and men, proceeded from India to the Colonies.

(4) In addition, 820 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from Egypt to the Colonies.

(5) In addition, 9,809 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from India and the Colonies to Egypt.

(6) In addition, four battalions of infantry (2,680) proceeded from Egypt to the Colonies.

(7) In addition, three battalions of infantry (2,108) proceeded from Colonies to India.

(8) In addition, one regiment of cavalry (367) from India, and half battalion of infantry (337) from Egypt, to Colonies.

(9) In addition, 2,900 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from India, and 3,827 from Colonies, to Egypt.

(10) In addition, one battery of artillery, and one battalion of infantry from Colonies, and one battalion of infantry from Egypt, proceeded to India (1,852 non-commissioned officers and men).

(11) In addition, three battalions of foot guards and one battalion of infantry proceeded from Egypt (3,394 non-commissioned officers and men).

(12) In addition, one battery of artillery, and nine battalions of infantry proceeded from the Colonies (8,518 non-commissioned officers and men).

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For the Colonies.															For Egypt.		
Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.		Royal Engineers.		Infantry of the Line.		Army Service Corps, late Commissariat and Transport Corps.		Ordnance Store Corps.		Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	All Arms (detail in Table 34.)	Total embarked.	Year.
Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	N.C.O. & Men.	N.C.O. & Men.				
2	912(3)	2	325(3)	1½	187	3 Mt. In.	2,984(3) 121	1	122	–	—	—	—	4,651(3)	—	5,759	1881
–	8	–	663	–	133	–	4,486	–	79	–	67	—	262	5,698	—	11,927	
–	920(3)	–	988(3)	–	320	–	7,591(3)	–	201	–	67	—	262	10,3403	—	17,686	
–	—	3	405	1	62	6	5,163	–	—	–	—	—	—	5,630	16,204	21,843	1882
–	60	–	341	–	147	–	2,039	–	14	–	27	—	61	2,689	6,460	16,223	
–	60	–	748	–	209	–	7,202	–	14	–	27	—	61	8,319(4)	(5)22,664	38,066	
–	—	1	115	–	—	1	836(6)	–	—	–	—	—	—	951(6)	—	2,701	1883
–	108	–	918	–	228	–	3456	–	45	–	37	—	78	4,870	2,288	17,107	
–	108	–	1,033	–	228	–	4,292(6)	–	45	–	37	—	78	5,821(6)	2,288	19,808	
–	—	2	298	2	226	9	6,846	1	63	–	—	—	—	7,433	1,857	10,611	1884
–	76	–	400	–	141	–	2,686	–	90	–	80	15	89	3,577	2,322	13,371	
–	76 (8)	–	698	–	367	–	9,532(8)	–	153	–	80	15	89	11,0108	4,179(9)	24,182	
–	—	5	609	1½	91	8	5,610	–	—	–	—	—	—	6,310	4,368	11,825	1885
–	51	–	458	–	290	–	4,861	–	25	–	43	6	172	5,906	4,529	20,064	
–	51	–	1,067	–	381	–	10,471	–	25	–	43	6	172	12,21611	8,897(12)	31,889	
–	—	9	1,102	1½	70	2	1,400	–	—	–	—	—	—	2,572	—	4,172	1886
–	107	–	567	–	336	–	3,889	–	56	–	25	1	127	5,108	2,025	19,611	
–	107	–	1,669	–	406	–	5,289 (14)	–	56	–	25	1	127	7,68014	2,025(15)	23,783	
–	—	3	305	1	59	1	686	–	—	–	—	—	—	1,050	718	4,147	1887
–	52	–	667	–	147	–	1,419	–	26	–	23	6	42	2,382	244	9,084	
–	52	–	972(17)	–	206	–	2105(17)	–	26	–	23	6	42	3,43217	962(18)	13,231	
–	—	3	491	1	67	3¼	2,445	–	—	–	—	—	—	2,913	821	5,788	1888
–	84	–	354	–	208	–	1,884	–	29	–	20	3	93	2,675	256	11,808	
–	84	–	755	–	275	–	4329(20)	–	29	–	20	3	93	5,58820	1,077(21)	17,596	
–	—	3	508	–	—	1	924(23)	–	—	–	—	—	—	1,43223	781(24)	4,185	1889
–	142	–	329	–	140	–	‡2,657	–	35	–	34	15	107	3,459	484	13,376	
–	142	–	837	–	140	–	3581(23)	–	35	–	34	15	107	4,89123	1,265(24)	17,561	
1	473	2	229	3	234	3	†2,254	–	—	–	—	—	—	3,190	—	5,146	1890
–	—	–	609	–	227	–	2,588	–	25	–	50	16	154	3,669	(26)259	11,828	
–	473	–	838	–	461	–	†4,842	–	25	–	50	16	154	6,859	(26)259	16,974	

(13) In addition, one battalion of infantry from the Colonies, and one battery of artillery and two battalions of infantry from Egypt proceeded to India (3,108 non-commissioned officers and men).

(14) In addition, 4½ battalions of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (4,537 non-commissioned officers and men).

(15) In addition, 2 battalions of infantry (2,460 non-commissioned officers and men) proceeded from the Colonies to Egypt.

(16) In addition two battalions of infantry from the Colonies, and two battalions of infantry from Egypt proceeded to India (2,767 non-commissioned officers and men).

(17) In addition, one battery of artillery, and two battalions of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (1,739 non-commissioned officers and men).

(18) In addition, six companies of infantry proceeded from Colonies to Egypt (680 non-commisioned officers and men).

(19) In addition one battalion of infantry from the Colonies, and one battalion of infantry from Egypt, proceeded to India (1,398 non-commissioned officers and men).

(20) In addition two battalions of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (1,647 non-commissioned officers and men).

(21) In addition, two companies of infantry proceeded from Colonies to Egypt (147 non-commissioned officers and men).

(22) In addition, three batteries of artillery, and two battalions of infantry proceeded from the Colonies to India (1,528 non-commissioned officers and men).

(23) In addition, one battalion of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (814 non-commissioned officers and men).

(24) In addition, two battalions of infantry proceeded from Colonies to Egypt (1,669 non-commissioned officers and men).

(25) In addition, two battalions of infantry proceeded from the Colonies and one battalion from Egypt to India (2,283 non-commissioned officers and men).

(26) In addition, two troops of cavalry of the line proceeded from India to Egypt (147 non-commissioned officers and men).

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TABLE 40.—REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked

Year.	——	From India.									From the Colonies.			
		Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.		Royal Engineers.		Infantry of the Line.		All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.	
		Regts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.		Regts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.
1881	Regiments, &c.	–	33	10	1,024	–	—	3	1,688	2,745	–	—	1	78
	Detachments -	–	226	–	903	–	—	–	6,687	7,816	–	71	–	318
	Total -	–	259	–	1,927	–	—	–	8,375	10,561	–	71	–	396
1882	Regiments, &c.	–	—	15	1,078	–	—	3	†1,684	†2,762	–	675	3	465
	Detachments -	–	264	–	751	–	—	–	4,190	5,205	–	95	–	459
	Total -	–	264	–	1,829	–	—	–	5,874	7,967	–	770	–	924
1883	Regiments, &c.	–	—	3	198	–	—	1	419	617	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	630	–	1,410	–	1	–	10,624	12,665	–	44	–	522
	Total -	–	630	–	1,608	–	1	–	11,043	13,282	–	44	–	522
1884	Regiments, &c.	–	‡6	6	‡423	–	—	1	‡420	‡849	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	444	–	973	–	1	–	5,102	6,520	–	37	–	544
	Total -	–	450	–	1,396	–	1	–	5,522	7,369	–	37	–	544
1885	Regiments, &c.	1	413	4	226	–	—	–	4	643	–	343	2	266
	Detachments -	–	347	–	1,271	–	—	–	4,887	6,505	–	116	-	593
	Total -	–	760	–	1,497	–	—	–	4,891	7,148	–	459	–	859
1886	Regiments, &c.	1	403	5	265	–	—	2	973	1,641	1	48	10	1,033
	Detachments -	–	457	–	1,027	–	—	–	4,093	5,577	–	—	–	479
	Total -	–	860	–	1,292	–	—	–	5,066	7,218	–	48		1,512
1887	Regiments, &c.	1	395	5	777	–	—	3	1,562	2,234	–	—	3	234
	Detachments -	–	431	–	947	–	2	–	5,233	6,613	–	60	–	334
	Total -	–	826	–	1,224	–	2	–	6,795	8,847	–	60	–	568
1888	Regiments, &c.	1	479	9	584	–	—	3	1,539	2,602	–	—	3	342
	Detachments -	–	415	–	1,707	–	—	–	4,095	6,217	–	73	–	360
	Total -	–	894	–	2,291	–	—	–	5,634	8,819	–	73	–	702
1889	Regiments, &c.	1	517	7	442	–	—	3	1,780	2,739	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	425	–	1,646	–	—	–	§6,795	8,866	–	28	–	525
	Total -	–	942	–	2,088	–	—	–	§8,575	11,605	–	28	–	525
1890	Regiments, &c.	¾	330	5	588	–	—	4	2,318	3,236	1	398	–	—
	Detachments -	–	458	–	1,300	–	1	–	6,345	8,104	–	40	–	448
	Total -	–	788	–	1,888	–	1	–	§8,663	11,340	–	439	–	448

* The numbers shown in this table are exclusive of any troops that may have proceeded from the Colonies to India, or from
† In addition to these numbers two battalions (1,211 non-commissioned officers and men) returned home, but having
‡ In addition to these numbers one regiment of cavalry, one battery of artillery, and two battalions of infantry returned home
§ Including eight men belonging to the Corps of Armourers.
¶ Including two men belonging to Corps of Armourers.

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From the Colonies.													From Egypt.		
Royal Engineers.		Foot Guards.		Infantry of the Line.		Army Service Corps, late Commissariat and Transport Corps.		Ordnance Store Corps.		Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	All Arms (detail in Table 38).	Total disembarked.	Year.
Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	N.C.O.	N.C.O. & Men.				
3½	221	–	—	4½	3,169	–	–	–	—	—	—	3,468	—	6,213	1881
–	106	–	—	–	1,889	–	38	–	20	—	72	2,514	—	10,330	
–	327	–	—	–	5,058	–	38	–	20	—	72	5,982	—	16,543	
3½	293	–	—	5½	3,331	2	145	–	—	—	—	4,909	7,261	14,932	1882
–	157	–	—	–	2,849	–	86	–	104	—	245	3,995	6,504	15,704	
–	450	–	—	–	6,180	–	231	–	104	—	245	8,904	13,765	30,636	
–	—	–	—	3	2,153	–	–	–	—	—	—	2,153	2,012	4,782	1883
–	198	–	—	–	2,222	–	44	–	35	—	138	3,203	2,994	18,862	
–	198	–	—	–	4,375	–	44	–	35	—	138	5,356	5,006	23,644	
1	86	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	86	1,073	2,008	1884
–	166	–	—	–	2,308	–	46	–	20	—	126	3,247	1,342	11,109	
–	252	–	—	–	2,308	–	46	–	20	—	126	3,333	2,415	13,117	
2⅔	232	–	—	–	—	1	104	–	—	—	—	2,967	4,415	8,025	1885
–	205	–	—	–	2,331	–	37	–	30	1	101	3,414	5,574	15,493	
–	437	–	—	–	2,331	–	141	–	30	1	101	6,381	9,989	23,518	
2	89	3	2,022	4	3,035	–	—	–	—	—	—	4,157	3,553	9,351	1886
–	199	–	—	–	1,959	–	53	–	26	1	110	2,875	2,880	11,332	
–	288	–	2,022	–	4,994	–	53	–	26	1	110	7,032	6,433	20,683	
⅓	23	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	257	1,638	4,129	1887
–	107	–	—	–	1,629	–	21	–	12	1	60	2,224	1,124	9,961	
–	130	–	—	–	1,629	–	21	–	12	1	60	2,481	2,762	14,090	
2	108	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	450	—	3,052	1888
–	98	–	—	–	861	–	19	–	14	2	53	1,480	581	8,278	
–	206	–	—	–	861	–	19	–	14	2	53	1,930	581	11,330	
–	—	–	—	1	756	–	—	–	—	—	—	756	801	4,296	1889
–	99	–	—	–	¶2,291	–	19	–	35	12	51	3,060	596	12,522	
–	99	–	—	–	¶3,047	–	19	–	35	12	51	3,816	1,397	16,818	
1	48	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	446	115	3,797	1890
–	169	–	—	–	2,038	–	19	–	37	8	116	2,875	250	11,229	
–	217	–	—	–	2,038	–	19	–	37	8	116	3,321	365	15,026	

India to the Colonies. Details of these troops will be found at the foot of Table 39.
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TABLE 41.—NUMBER of COURTS-MARTIAL held during 1890, showing the OFFENCES for which the men were tried, the Sentences awarded, and the Punishments inflicted, in each arm of the service, at home and abroad.

Courts-Martial and Offences.

——	AT HOME.												ABROAD.												GENERAL TOTAL.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	
Number of Courts-Martial	14	537	1,012	85	203	3,841	99	5	2	—	44	5,842	125	965	31	13	3,578	83	17	2	—	1	16	4,831	10,673
Offences in relation to:— The enemy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mutiny	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Desertion	3	156	235	14	45	1,049	13	—	—	—	8	1,523	8	26	—	—	100	2	—	—	—	—	1	137	1,660
Fraudulent Enlistment	2	48	57	1	11	233	2	—	—	—	—	354	—	5	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	361
Offences in relation to enlistment	1	26	55	3	11	192	1	—	—	—	1	290	1	9	—	—	20	1	—	—	—	—	—	31	321
Violence and disobedience to Superiors	3	50	153	5	40	547	12	—	—	—	3	813	35	187	8	—	831	14	—	—	—	—	3	1,078	1,891
Minor Insubordination and neglect of orders	2	93	158	3	35	539	6	—	—	—	4	840	25	159	4	4	760	10	1	—	—	—	2	961	1,801
Quitting or Sleeping on Post	—	23	37	3	7	63	10	—	—	—	2	145	9	54	1	—	184	3	—	—	—	—	—	251	396
Drunk on Duty	1	27	59	5	8	229	6	2	—	—	1	338	13	164	3	3	551	2	—	—	—	—	2	735	1,073
Drunkenness	—	22	65	11	3	257	5	—	—	—	5	368	19	170	10	2	511	14	9	2	—	1	2	738	1,106
Disgraceful Conduct	2	53	62	5	12	245	16	—	—	—	10	405	14	58	2	1	375	6	—	—	—	—	2	457	862
Absence without Leave	1	77	181	35	49	676	29	2	2	—	9	1,061	25	149	3	1	446	12	5	—	—	—	5	645	1,706
Making away with Necessaries	2	181	295	2	72	1,505	24	—	—	—	2	2,083	15	135	—	—	519	2	—	—	—	—	1	672	2,755
Miscellaneous	2	73	58	6	54	730	33	1	—	—	8	965	8	109	2	7	991	21	13	—	—	—	2	1,146	2,111
Total of Offences	19	829	1,415	93	347	6,265	157	5	2	—	53	9,185	172	1,225	33	18	5,290	87	28	2	—	1	20	6,858	16,043

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TABLE 41—*continued.*—Sentences awarded.

—	At Home.																Abroad.														General Total.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.							
Death . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1						1
Penal Servitude . .	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	5						6
Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks	4	62	145	26	21	469	20	3	2	—	13	765	32	177	8	6	448	13	9	1	—	1	4	699						1,464
Reduction and Imprisonment . .	—	4	11	1	2	33	1	1	—	—	1	54	2	17	—	—	38	1	1	—	—	—	1	60						114
Summary Punishment under sec. 44 (para. 5), Army Act, 1881 . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						—
Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other punishment . .	—	—	—	2	—	27	—	—	—	—	—	29	3	6	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	20						49
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	10	451	833	55	176	3,239	72	1	—	—	23	4,860	86	742	23	7	2,945	64	5	1	—	—	11	3,884						8,744
Discharged with ignominy, without other punishment . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						—
Total of Sentences .	14	517	990	84	199	3,768	93	5	2	—	37	5,709	123	943	31	13	3,447	78	15	2	—	1	16	4,669						10,378
Acquitted . .	—	20	22	1	4	73	6	—	—	—	7	133	2	22	—	—	131	5	2	—	—	—	—	162						295

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TABLE 41—*continued.*—Punishments inflicted.

—	AT HOME.												ABROAD.											GENERAL TOTAL.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	
Death	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	--	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Penal Servitude	--	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	5
Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks	4	56	134	24	20	436	20	3	2	—	12	711	29	168	6	4	426	13	9	1	—	1	3	660	1,371
Reduction and Imprisonment	—	3	10	1	1	28	1	—	—	—	1	45	—	16	—	—	26	1	1	—	—	—	1	45	90
Summary Punishment under sec. 44 (para. 5) Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	1	—	2	—	27	—	—	—	—	—	30	3	7	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	51
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	9	446	829	53	174	3,226	70	1	—	—	23	4,831	84	736	23	7	2,922	63	5	1	—	—	11	3,852	8,683
Discharged with ignominy without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total of Punishments inflicted	13	506	974	80	195	3717	91	4	2	—	36	5,618	116	927	29	11	3,390	77	15	2	—	1	15	4,583	10,201
Pardoned	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sentence wholly remitted	1	7	12	3	2	40	1	—	—	—	1	67	5	12	2	2	44	1	—	—	—	—	1	67	134
Sentence quashed	—	4	4	1	2	11	1	1	—	—	—	24	2	4	—	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	43
Per-centage to average number of Non-commissioned Officers — Reduction	1·9	3·6	5·4	1·9	3·6	6·6	2·9	2·6	1·4	—	2·5	5·0	3·6	7·2	1·3	12·9	6·5	4·4	9·6	1·2	—	3·1	2·4	6·1	5·4
Per-centage to average number of Non-commissioned Officers — Reduction and Imprisonment	—	·2	·4	·1	·2	·4	·1	—	—	—	·2	·3	—	·7	—	—	·4	·4	1·1	—	—	—	·8	·4	·4

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TABLE 42.—NUMBER of MEN tried by COURTS-MARTIAL, compared with the number of trials, in each arm of the service, during 1890; also the number of each description of Court.

CORPS.	Number of men tried.							Number of trials.				
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total.	General Courts-Martial.	District or Garrison Courts-Martial.	Regimental or Detachment Courts-Martial.	Summary Courts-Martial.	Total.
Household Cavalry	12	1	—	—	—	—	13	—	10	4	—	14
Cavalry of the Line	597	28	3	—	—	—	628	—	403	259	—	662
Royal Artillery	1,447	195	44	2	—	—	1,688	4	960	1,013	—	1,977
Royal Engineers	95	9	1	—	—	—	105	—	60	56	—	116
Foot Guards	173	20	1	—	—	—	194	—	126	90	—	216
Infantry of the Line	5,856	601	107	10	—	—	6,574	15	4,131	3,268	5	7,419
Colonial Corps	68	6	1	—	—	—	75	—	46	37	—	83
Army Service Corps	94	11	—	—	—	—	105	—	72	44	—	116
Ordnance Store Corps	5	1	—	—	—	—	6	—	5	2	—	7
Corps of Armourers	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	2
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	1
Medical Staff Corps	60	—	—	—	—	—	60	—	57	3	—	60
General Total	8,408	873	157	12	—	—	9,450	19	5,873	4,776	5	10,673

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TABLE 43.—NUMBER of MEN fined for DRUNKENNESS during 1890, the number of FINES inflicted, and the proportion of men fined per 1,000 of average strength in each arm of the service.

CORPS.	NUMBER OF MEN FINED.															Proportion of men fined per 1,000 of average strength.	Number of cases of Fines inflicted.
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Seven times.	Eight times.	Nine times.	Ten times.	Eleven times.	Twelve times.	Thirteen times.	Fourteen times.	Total of men Fined.		
Household Cavalry	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1
Cavalry of the Line	257	93	32	8	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	395	24	597
Royal Artillery	1,155	488	249	143	81	27	18	1	1	3	—	—	—	—	2,166	64	4,190
Royal Engineers	76	34	15	3	4	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	134	22	234
Foot Guards	119	27	10	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	159	29	217
Infantry of the Line	6,997	3,297	1,787	935	477	246	121	53	23	2	1	1	—	—	13,940	109	28,073*
Colonial Corps	28	13	7	8	4	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	62	25	141
Army Service Corps	46	15	7	2	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	73	24	123
Ordnance Store Corps	9	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	22	27
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	40	12	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	55	24	74
General Total	8,728	3,981	2,111	1,104	572	277	140	56	24	5	1	1	—	—	17,000	85	33,677*

* One fine remitted.

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TABLE 44.—NUMBER of MINOR PUNISHMENTS, including Fines for Drunkenness, inflicted by order of Commanding Officers, and the per-centage to average strength in each arm of the service, at home and abroad, during 1890.

Corps.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.	Per-centage to Average Strength.
Household Cavalry - -	430	—	430	36
Cavalry of the Line - -	8,032	3,021	11,053	66
Royal Artillery - -	12,788	12,786	25,574	75
Royal Engineers - -	2,692	575	3,267	53
Foot Guards - - -	5,864	191	6,055	112
Infantry of the Line - -	73,374	83,644	157,018	122
Colonial Corps - - -	—	4,094	4,094	167
Army Service Corps - -	2,584	64	2,648	87
Ordnance Store Corps - -	119	37	156	23
Corps of Armourers - -	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers -	3	—	3	4
Medical Staff Corps - -	1,598	254	1,852	79
Total - - -	107,484	104,666	212,150	106

TABLE 45.—NUMBER of MEN tried by COURT-MARTIAL in each year from 1872 to 1890, and the total number of trials.

YEAR.	Number of men tried.							Number of trials.
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total Men.	
1872	10,115	1,596	271	40	2	—	12,024	14,290
1873	10,683	1,148	152	14	—	—	11,997	13,421
1874	10,995	1,231	170	22	1	—	12,419	14,060
1875	10,896	1,173	134	13	1	—	12,217	13,701
1876	10,864	1,187	125	11	—	—	12,187	13,657
1877	12,434	1,324	202	20	5	—	13,985	15,793
1878	12,931	1,407	227	17	—	1	14,583	16,500
1879	12,546	1,230	145	14	3	—	13,938	15,512
1880	12,370	1,170	152	19	—	—	13,711	15,242
1881	13,206	1,319	189	23	4	—	14,741	16,523
1882	11,336	1,101	144	17	—	—	12,598	14,038
1883	10,655	1,023	136	18	2	—	11,834	13,191
1884	9,906	1,019	153	20	2	—	11,100	12,493
1885	11,456	1,086	189	20	1	—	12,752	14,280
1886	11,307	1,217	173	24	8	1	12,730	14,401
1887	9,244	1,131	183	36	4	—	10,598	12,219
1888	9,318	1,086	189	29	3	—	10,625	12,188
1889	8,710	835	148	11	1	—	9,705	10,873
1890	8,408	873	157	12	—	—	9,450	10,673

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TABLE 46.—COURTS-MARTIAL, CRIMES, and PUNISHMENTS, in each year from 1871 to 1890.

Courts-Martial and Offences.

	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.
No. of Courts-Martial	14,882	14,290	13,491	14,060	13,701	13,657	15,793	16,500	15,512	15,242	16,523	14,038	13,191	12,493	14,280	14,401	12,219	12,188	10,873	10,673
OFFENCES.																				
Offences in relation to: The enemy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Offences in relation to: Mutiny	—	2	5	—	2	—	8	—	—	1	7	2	—	—	2	6	4	—	7	—
Offences in relation to: Desertion	2,136	2,421	2,365	2,692	2,523	2,776	3,376	3,264	2,615	1,740	1,597	1,477	1,397	1,540	2,050	2,103	1,514	1,821	1,673	1,660
Offences in relation to: Fraudulent enlistment.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	839	1,243	1,190	934	659	786	581	713	519	385	385	361
Offences in relation to enlistment															503	617	479	340	320	321
Violence to Superiors and Insubordination	1,751	1,622	1,446	1,529	1,589	1,367	1,781	2,047	1,953	1,364	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Violence and disobedience to Superiors	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,650	1,385	1,611	1,560	2,001	2,074	2,125	2,198	1,866	1,891
Disobedience	275	273	241	256	251	263	326	318	319	1,460	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Minor insubordination and neglect of orders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,472	1,494	1,454	1,612	1,816	1,921	2,083	2,106	1,895	1,801
Quitting or Sleeping on Post	444	393	420	480	494	466	508	588	640	600	681	620	617	574	591	573	377	407	371	396
Drunk on Duty under Arms	1,435	1,232	1,218	1,416	1,457	1,458	1,520	1,624	1,895	2,264	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drunk on duty	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,061	2,210	1,881	1,621	1,553	1,419	1,031	1,276	1,103	1,073
Drunkenness	2,347	2,226	2,071	2,418	2,378	2,415	2,550	2,477	2,526	1,884	2,147	1,719	1,568	1,481	1,749	1,772	1,408	1,305	1,086	1,106
Disgraceful Conduct	729	733	728	800	760	861	1,039	1,042	1,061	773	660	527	538	625	932	1,026	1,301	944	769	862
Absence without Leave	3,340	3,392	2,909	3,151	3,219	2,730	3,347	3,803	2,903	2,948	3,293	2,623	2,492	2,261	2,343	2,120	2,208	2,062	1,883	1,706
Making away with Necessaries	2,639	2,862	2,662	3,874	4,156	4,424	5,276	5,617	4,440	3,451	3,768	2,919	2,555	2,913	3,594	3,822	3,509	3,493	3,006	2,755
Miscellaneous	2,814	2,769	2,623	3,314	3,599	3,802	4,468	4,921	3,873	4,065	4,181	3,901	3,743	2,762	2,742	2,948	2,143	2,291	2,079	2,111
Total of Offences	17,910	17,925	16,688	19,930	20,428	20,562	24,199	25,701	23,064	21,703	23,307	19,811	18,515	17,735	20,457	21,114	18,701	18,628	16,443	16,043
Per-centage to average strength	10	10	9	11	12	12	13	13	12	12	13	11	11	11	11	11	9	9	8	8

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TABLE 46—*continued.*—Sentences awarded.

	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.
Death	—	1	3	3	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	2	2	3	1	2	1
Penal Servitude	55	61	55	62	62	50	51	44	58	69	104	149	110	44	42	46	19	26	6	6
Reduction to the Ranks	2,590	2,149	2,140	2,119	2,089	2,090	2,127	2,100	2,327	3,035	3,228	2,269	2,174	1,795	1,790	1,794	1,544	1,597	1,478	1,464
Reduction to the Ranks and Imprisonment		196	206	249	232	235	326	359	368	595	591	385	360	241	216	177	170	133	127	114
Corporal Punishment	—	—	5	3	—	2	—	29	545	25	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corporal Punishment and Imprisonment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	50	13	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To be put under stoppages, without other punishment	184	97	123	96	116	89	98	182	103	42	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	51	29	35	45	26	48	71	34	49
Solitary Confinement	3	15	3	6	4	2	5	9	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Solitary Confinement and Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	343	304	211	159	110	152	178	190	213	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Summary Punishment under Sec. 44 (Part 5), Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	12	—	3	—	—	—
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	11,325	11,164	10,451	11,120	10,833	10,810	12,723	13,281	11,541	11,118	12,166	10,913	10,254	10,150	11,922	12,045	10,133	10,110	8,956	8,744
Discharged with ignominy, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	4	1	—
Total of Sentences	14,500	13,987	13,197	13,817	13,447	13,430	15,511	16,198	15,209	14,897	16,173	13,772	12,928	12,268	14,029	14,090	11,920	11,942	10,604	10,378
Acquitted	379	302	292	237	249	221	280	302	299	344	349	266	263	225	251	311	299	246	269	295

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TABLE 46—*continued.*—Punishments inflicted.

	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.
Death	--	1	3	3	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	1	1	1	2	1
Penal Servitude	51	61	52	61	58	49	46	40	54	63	92	142	99	35	37	39	20	14	5	5
Reduction to the Ranks	2,324	1,941	1,920	1,884	1,864	1,865	1,919	1,913	2,115	2,877	3,084	2,141	2,079	1,699	1,708	1,695	1,417	1,496	1,393	1,371
Reduction to the Ranks and Imprisonment		163	155	206	190	201	271	298	293	522	531	326	313	197	162	148	160	105	105	90
Corporal Punishment	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	25	425	21	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corporal Punishment and Imprisonment	—	--	—	—	—	—	—	4	36	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Put under stoppages without other punishment	190	104	130	102	119	104	106	192	131	54	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine, or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	59	35	44	51	- 25	54	76	41	51
Solitary Confinement	3	14	1	6	2	2	5	7	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Solitary Confinement and Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	334	290	205	152	109	147	170	141	135	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Summary Punishment under sec. 44 (para. 5), Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	—	—	12	—	3	—	—	—
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	11,229	11,057	10,376	11,030	10,753	10,723	12,634	13,256	11,557	11,016	12,067	10,836	10,176	10,098	11,839	11,972	10,032	10,016	8,877	8,682
Discharged with ignominy without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	1	—	1	3	1	1
Total of Punishments	14,131	13,631	12,844	13,444	13,096	13,091	15,154	15,876	14,750	14,565	15,867	13,510	12,703	12,076	13,811	13,880	11,688	11,711	10,424	10,201
Per-centage to average strength	8	7	7	7	7	7	8	8	8	8	9	7	7	7	7	7	6	6	5	5
Pardoned, Sentence wholly remitted, or Sentence quashed	362	349	349	369	346	338	355	322	456	327	305	261	221	174	218	209	232	231	181	177
Percentage to number of Non-commissioned Officers. Reduction	10	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	9	12	12·5	9·	8·8	7·1	7·	6·9	5·8	6·0	5·6	5·4
Reduction and Imprisonment.		·7	·7	1	·8	·9	1	1	1	2	2·1	1·4	1·3	·8	·7	·6	·6	·4	·4	·4

By the Mutiny Act of 1867 the infliction of Corporal Punishment was restricted in time of peace to the crimes of Mutiny and Violence to Superiors, and by the Mutiny Act of 1868 this punishment was abolished, "except on Active Service or on board a Ship not in Commission."

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TABLE 47.—NUMBER of GENERAL, DISTRICT, and REGIMENTAL COURTS-MARTIAL at home and abroad from 1871 to 1890, and the proportion per 1,000 of the average strength.

Years.	Number of Courts-Martial.						Proportion per 1,000 men.		
	General.	District or Garrison.	Regimental or Detachment.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.
1871	91	7,303	7,488	9,497	5,385	14,882	94	65	81
1872	99	7,532	6,659	9,314	4,976	14,290	93	59	78
1873	88	7,220	6,183	8,420	5,071	13,491	88	60	76
1874	105	7,740	6,215	9,240	4,820	14,060	99	57	79
1875	93	7,724	5,884	9,132	4,569	13,701	98	54	77
1876	79	7,746	5,832	8,957	4,700	13,657	96	56	77
1877	88	9,156	6,549	10,879	4,914	15,793	111	58	87
1878	90	9,452	6,958	11,751	4,749	16,500	114	56	88
1879	99	9,132	6,281	9,725	5,787	15,512	115	59	85
1880	131	8,160	6,951	9,108	6,134	15,242	104	66	84
1881	179	8,549	7,795	9,421	7,102	16,523	107	76	91
1882	222	7,133	6,683	8,472	5,566	14,038	94	61	77
1883	153	6,694	6,344	7,541	5,650	13,191	88	64	76
1884	71	6,794	5,628	7,122	5,371	12,493	83	63	73
1885	63	8,468	5,749	7,790	6,490	14,280	88	64	76
1886	68	8,902	5,431	7,798	6,603	14,401	83	65	74
1887	43	6,969	5,207	6,496	5,723	12,219	63	58	61
1888	28	6,816	5,344	6,398	5,790	12,188	62	57	59
1889	22	6,121	4,730	5,773	5,100	10,873	57	51	54
1890	19	5,873	4,781	5,842	4,831	10,673	58	48	53

TABLE 48.—NUMBER of MINOR PUNISHMENTS inflicted by order of Commanding Officers at home and abroad, in each year from 1871 to 1890, and the proportion per 1,000 of the average strength.

Year.	Number of Minor Punishments.			Proportion per 1,000 men.		
	Home.	Abroad.	Total.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.
1871	179,754	91,725	271,479	1,782	1,111	1,473
1872	159,405	89,774	249,179	1,605	1,072	1,361
1873	148,022	87,315	235,337	1,545	1,040	1,310
1874	162,484	92,833	255,317	1,745	1,092	1,433
1875	164,108	87,884	251,992	1,768	1,049	1,427
1876	163,538	91,693	255,231	1,763	1,098	1,448
1877	180,406	102,281	282,687	1,848	1,205	1,549
1878	188,657	96,388	285,045	1,827	1,146	1,521
1879	143,950	108,346	252,296	1,706	1,109	1,386
1880	127,176	88,857	216,033	1,448	952	1,192
1881	127,585	97,096	224,681	1,449	1,042	1,240
1882	142,617	98,976	241,593	1,585	1,082	1,531
1883	140,131	95,885	236,016	1,630	1,087	1,355
1884	148,946	101,779	250,725	1,732	1,209	1,473
1885	154,026	129,982	284,008	1,751	1,290	1,505
1886	146,044	123,207	269,251	1,553	1,216	1,378
1887	130,816	118,632	249,448	1,276	1,197	1,237
1888	120,541	115,660	236,201	1,174	1,152	1,163
1889	114,783	108,927	223,710	1,130	1,084	1,107
1890	107,484	104,666	212,150	1,062	1,050	1,056

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TABLE 49.—NUMBER of MEN FINED for DRUNKENNESS in each year from 1871 to 1890, total number of FINES inflicted, and proportion of FINES per 1,000 MEN of the average strength.

YEAR.	NUMBER OF MEN FINED.																	Number of fines inflicted.	Proportion of fines per 1,000 men.	YEAR.
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Seven times.	Eight times.	Nine times.	Ten times.	Eleven times.	Twelve times.	Thirteen times.	Fourteen times.	Fifteen times.	Sixteen times.	Total of men fined.			
1871	Not reported.																35,267	54,398	296	1871
1872	13,785	5,834	3,081	1,794	798	398	237	112	44	16	8	2	—	2	—	—	26,111	51,501	281	1872
1873	12,516	5,123	2,726	1,575	831	406	219	101	52	25	15	6	5	3	—	—	23,603	47,234	263	1873
1874	12,760	5,421	2,965	1,600	902	476	224	98	56	34	18	2	4	—	—	—	24,560	49,733	279	1874
1875	12,352	5,539	2,970	1,574	813	417	198	73	38	17	13	2	1	—	1	—	24,008	47,880	271	1875
1876	12,490	5,560	2,949	1,594	886	474	241	107	50	15	12	5	—	—	—	—	24,383	49,442	280	1876
1877	13,970	5,697	3,013	1,594	813	426	213	100	43	18	12	8	2	—	—	—	25,909	50,512	277	1877
1878	13,912	5,630	2,968	1,487	763	422	206	84	52	21	10	7	1	3	—	—	25,566	49,412	267	1878
1879	13,258	4,866	2,637	1,316	666	321	145	64	20	17	3	1	1	—	—	1	23,316	43,372	236	1879
1880	12,332	4,929	2,457	1,221	591	304	127	53	9	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	22,029	40,684	225	1880
1881	12,931	5,242	2,664	1,365	698	358	129	56	20	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	23,470	44,108	243	1881
1882	13,041	5,248	2,727	1,423	692	300	135	47	18	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	23,637	44,214	244	1882
1883	11,617	4,762	2,486	1,309	689	342	133	40	20	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	21,402	40,799	234	1883
1884	10,599	4,662	2,553	1,418	779	379	180	57	29	6	3	1	—	—	—	—	20,666	41,505	242	1884
1885	11,671	5,371	2,991	1,638	822	460	202	92	43	26	4	2	1	1	—	—	*23,324	47,699	253	1885
1886	11,940	5,308	2,916	1,595	802	446	193	81	36	14	3	—	—	—	—	—	23,334	46,866	240	1886
1887	10,432	4,894	2,635	1,436	851	494	214	118	29	13	3	2	1	—	—	—	21,122	43,991	218	1887
1888	9,838	4,466	2,413	1,370	745	333	176	78	33	14	5	2	1	—	—	—	19,474	39,598	195	1888
1889	8,766	4,052	2,162	1,271	644	313	162	69	20	13	3	—	—	—	—	—	17,475	35,567	176	1889
1890	8,728	3,981	2,111	1,104	572	277	140	56	24	5	1	1	—	—	—	—	17,000	†33,677	167	1890

* In the case of one man who deserted the fine was not paid. † One fine remitted.

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TABLE 50.—NUMBER of MEN serving on the 1st January 1891 who were in possession of Good Conduct Medals, showing the different ranks, and the number in each arm of the service.

Corps	Medals and Annuities.	Medals and Gratuities.				Medals without Gratuities.			
		Sergeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.
Household Cavalry	—	—	2	19	21	19	—	—	19
Cavalry of the Line	—	30	13	33	76	116	—	—	116
Royal Artillery	1	47	56	214	317	195	—	—	195
Royal Engineers	—	20	18	31	69	147	—	—	147
Foot Guards	—	6	3	24	33	17	—	—	17
Infantry of the Line	—	71	40	360	471	282	—	1	283
Colonial Corps	—	6	2	14	22	5	—	—	5
Army Service Corps	—	—	3	13	16	34	—	—	34
Ordnance Store Corps	—	1	1	5	7	13	—	—	13
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2
Medical Staff Corps	—	2	8	17	27	20	—	—	20
General Total	1	183	146	730	1,059	850	—	1	851

TABLE 51.—NUMBER of MEN serving on the 1st January 1891 who were in possession of Good Conduct Badges, showing the several arms of the service, and the number of badges.

Corps.	One badge.	Two badges.	Three badges.	Four badges.	Five badges.	Six badges.	Total.
Household Cavalry	328	250	55	32	3	1	669
Cavalry of the Line	5,979	1,271	178	106	18	1	7,553
Royal Artillery	10,659	3,091	595	489	123	44	15,001
Royal Engineers	1,933	442	71	45	12	6	2,509
Foot Guards	1,360	480	74	51	5	6	1,976
Infantry of the Line	42,595	14,469	1,165	696	185	55	59,165
Colonial Corps	676	289	32	34	14	6	1,051
Army Service Corps	719	93	26	24	2	1	865
Ordnance Store Corps	321	61	13	7	2	1	405
Corps of Armourers	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	1	—	—	—	—	1
Medical Staff Corps	738	140	39	42	3	2	964
General Total	65,309	20,587	2,248	1,526	367	123	90,160

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TABLE 52.—PAST SERVICES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the different arms on the 1st January 1891, at Home, in the Colonies, and in India.

Corps.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	13 to 14 years.	14 to 15 years.	15 to 16 years.	16 to 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	Over 21 years.	Not reported.	Total.
AT HOME.																								
Household Cavalry	115	132	93	93	91	94	117	77	59	45	57	55	25	27	28	22	14	9	15	11	22	8	—	1,209
Cavalry of the Line	2,375	1,229	1,143	1,000	1,252	981	956	206	160	129	136	171	109	95	97	80	107	86	79	74	79	77	24	10,645
Royal Artillery	4,083	2,657	1,122	1,294	1,386	1,145	1,181	369	377	365	404	264	220	174	220	155	213	198	208	234	216	386	—	16,871
Royal Engineers	831	642	502	479	510	348	280	130	96	121	120	99	83	86	67	52	54	47	62	68	80	81	—	4,838
Foot Guards	1,023	854	516	428	354	378	558	119	58	45	50	46	29	39	31	33	19	22	16	15	26	32	—	4,691
Infantry of the Line	16,390	9,922	4,501	4,813	5,103	4,526	3,715	1,476	743	693	658	581	363	379	333	229	255	214	222	309	462	514	35	56,436
Army Service Corps	463	548	367	331	272	149	181	81	67	53	38	46	49	38	38	24	20	9	21	27	61	5	—	2,388
Ord. Store Corps	29	31	67	55	57	77	49	25	19	15	12	8	13	14	8	14	4	3	6	4	19	4	—	533
Corps of Armourers	15	1	6	9	4	5	7	6	4	6	7	5	5	10	12	4	3	7	9	10	10	16	—	161
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	10	3	5	—	—	3	7	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	42
Medical Staff Corps	321	247	98	136	207	189	166	50	43	33	44	44	46	34	13	16	28	45	15	32	41	12	—	1,860
Total	25,655	16,266	8,420	8,638	9,236	7,895	7,217	2,550	1,626	1,505	1,526	1,319	942	896	847	629	717	640	653	784	1,018	1,136	59	100,174
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.																								
Cavalry of the Line	68	44	80	154	113	48	52	25	17	6	14	11	5	11	5	5	1	1	—	1	4	1	4	670
Royal Artillery	232	595	513	680	766	700	415	289	100	103	80	34	26	24	25	18	23	14	18	21	12	23	—	4,711
Royal Engineers	2	153	140	225	173	202	199	74	36	44	32	24	26	23	19	17	20	21	17	13	15	4	—	1,479
Foot Guards	40	139	86	54	50	39	53	57	8	12	9	12	7	3	1	1	8	—	—	3	3	—	1	586
Infantry of the Line	533	1,530	2,639	2,866	2,964	3,489	2,908	1,662	248	218	232	141	104	91	81	47	50	37	36	28	50	32	52	20,038
Colonial Corps	506	267	209	308	361	194	133	144	125	152	67	29	15	12	10	4	6	15	14	19	18	47	2	2,657
Army Service Corps	—	2	4	8	15	14	28	12	7	8	5	11	7	4	6	4	1	—	1	2	6	—	—	145
Ord. Store Corps	1	2	4	30	24	40	11	8	5	1	6	12	6	3	6	6	3	1	3	2	3	—	—	177
Corps of Armourers	—	3	4	4	2	4	1	3	3	4	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	1	—	—	—	44
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	1	1	3	9	3	10	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	37
Medical Staff Corps	—	42	27	108	70	67	51	24	9	13	10	13	8	5	2	4	9	4	—	2	4	—	—	472
Total	1,383	2,778	3,709	4,446	4,541	4,807	3,858	2,300	558	561	456	288	206	178	156	108	123	96	91	92	115	107	59	31,016
IN INDIA.																								
Cavalry of the Line	163	468	494	720	1,188	922	699	213	68	66	64	96	51	37	46	32	34	23	20	21	17	11	39	5,492
Royal Artillery	192	1,204	1,792	1,873	2,044	1,652	1,430	677	272	247	238	176	133	106	135	70	76	61	66	70	48	43	—	12,605
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	3
Infantry of the Line	579	3,170	5,709	6,425	8,263	9,194	7,643	6,298	862	921	973	661	383	316	217	124	133	111	108	93	159	78	313	52,733
Corps of Armourers	1	12	13	7	3	1	4	7	4	10	8	4	1	3	4	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	—	93
Total	935	4,854	8,008	9,025	11,498	11,769	9,776	7,195	1,206	1,244	1,283	938	568	462	402	229	244	196	196	186	227	133	352	70,926
General Total	27,973	23,898	20,137	22,109	25,275	24,471	20,851	12,045	3,390	3,310	3,265	2,545	1,716	1,536	1,405	966	1,084	932	940	1,062	1,360	1,376	470	202,116

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TABLE 52—*continued.*—PAST SERVICES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

Corps.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	13 to 14 years.	14 to 15 years.	15 to 16 years.	16 to 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	Over 21 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	115	132	93	93	91	94	117	77	59	45	57	55	25	27	28	22	14	9	15	11	22	8	—	1,209
Cavalry of the Line	2,606	1,741	1,717	1,874	2,553	1,951	1,707	444	245	201	214	278	165	143	148	117	142	110	99	96	100	89	67	16,807
Royal Artillery	4,507	4,456	3,427	3,847	4,196	3,497	3,026	1,335	749	715	722	474	379	304	380	243	312	273	292	325	276	452	—	34,187
Royal Engineers	833	795	642	704	683	550	479	204	132	165	152	124	109	109	86	70	74	68	79	81	96	85	—	6,320
Foot Guards	1,063	993	602	482	404	417	611	176	66	57	59	58	36	42	32	34	27	22	16	18	29	32	1	5,277
Infantry of the Line	17,502	14,622	12,849	14,104	16,330	17,209	14,266	9,436	1,853	1,832	1,863	1,383	850	786	631	400	438	362	366	430	671	624	400	129,207
Colonial Corps	506	267	209	308	361	194	133	144	125	152	67	29	15	12	10	4	6	15	14	19	18	47	2	2,657
Army Service Corps	463	550	371	339	287	163	209	93	74	61	43	57	56	42	44	28	21	9	22	29	67	5	—	3,033
Ord. Store Corps	30	33	71	85	81	117	60	33	24	16	18	20	19	17	14	20	7	4	9	6	22	4	—	710
Corps of Armourers	16	16	23	20	9	10	12	16	11	20	16	10	8	15	17	8	6	10	13	13	12	17	—	298
Corps of Ordinance Artificers	11	4	8	9	3	13	14	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	1	—	79
Medical Staff Corps	321	289	125	244	277	256	217	74	52	46	54	57	54	39	15	20	37	49	15	34	45	12	—	2,332
General Total	27,973	23,898	20,137	22,109	25,275	24,471	20,851	12,045	3,390	3,310	3,265	2,545	1,716	1,536	1,405	966	1,084	932	940	1,062	1,360	1,376	470	202,116

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TABLE 53.—PAST SERVICES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the different arms at Home, in the Colonies, and in India, on the 1st January 1891, who were enlisted for Short Service, showing the number serving under their original engagements, and the number who have extended their service.

Corps.	Under Original Engagements.										Number who have extended their service.													TOTAL.
	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 and upwards.	Total.	Under 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	Total.	
AT HOME.																								
Cavalry of the Line	2,316	1,178	1,094	948	1,180	921	849	15	2	8,503	—	1	7	16	16	59	152	122	100	74	100	—	647	9,150
Royal Artillery	3,904	2,469	962	1,128	1,188	954	939	50	1	11,595	—	—	65	84	103	133	234	310	273	242	116	—	1,560	13,155
Royal Engineers	805	608	432	412	463	295	201	11	—	3,227	8	17	27	6	16	51	98	79	96	89	42	—	529	3,756
Foot Guards	882	530	272	9	9	13	10	—	—	1,725	411	219	382	312	341	519	77	40	28	33	27	—	2,389	4,114
Infantry of the Line	15,823	9,499	4,126	4,412	4,704	4,145	3,195	487	5	46,396	20	30	56	91	84	231	733	527	477	468	292	17	3,026	49,422
Army Service Corps	446	529	313	156	256	136	129	—	—	1,965	11	39	155	4	5	44	74	58	35	30	14	—	469	2,434
Ordnance Store Corps	25	29	58	53	56	72	38	—	—	331	—	—	—	—	1	6	21	18	10	7	3	—	66	397
Medical Staff Corps	296	228	78	40	191	177	103	—	—	1,122	29	17	81	4	11	54	49	39	21	28	16	—	349	1,471
Total	24,497	15,070	7,335	7,167	8,047	6,713	5,464	563	8	74,864	479	323	773	517	577	1,097	1,438	1,193	1,040	971	610	17	9,035	83,899
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.																								
Cavalry of the Line	64	41	77	152	112	41	36	—	—	523	—	—	—	—	—	7	20	15	4	4	7	—	57	580
Royal Artillery	228	586	490	537	636	550	280	173	—	3,530	—	—	66	107	121	112	83	82	72	51	10	—	704	4,234
Royal Engineers	—	144	123	218	161	193	178	37	—	1,054	—	1	1	3	3	14	28	32	34	18	9	—	143	1,197
Foot Guards	35	92	57	19	—	1	—	9	—	213	48	23	33	46	36	50	42	6	6	7	5	2	304	517
Infantry of the Line	463	1,440	2,541	2,756	2,848	3,265	2,709	1,457	2	17,481	—	2	9	13	41	97	223	156	142	154	73	7	917	18,398
Colonial Corps	59	58	61	129	36	16	—	—	—	359	—	—	—	2	2	2	4	4	2	1	6	—	23	382
Army Service Corps	—	2	3	4	14	14	21	5	—	63	—	1	4	1	—	7	7	7	6	3	3	—	39	102
Ordnance Store Corps	1	2	4	30	23	35	8	1	—	104	—	—	—	—	5	2	7	3	1	2	—	—	20	124
Medical Staff Corps	—	10	12	81	62	53	22	2	—	242	32	15	27	8	11	27	20	7	11	4	5	—	167	409
Total	850	2,375	3,368	3,976	3,892	4,168	3,254	1,684	2	23,569	80	42	140	180	219	318	434	312	278	244	118	9	2,374	25,943
IN INDIA.																								
Cavalry of the Line	153	452	478	702	1,162	900	665	138	1	4,651	—	—	—	3	3	14	65	43	51	46	46	2	273	4,924
Royal Artillery	173	1,178	1,755	1,799	1,957	1,458	1,181	371	12	9,884	—	—	40	51	146	167	222	208	136	112	61	5	1,148	11,032
Infantry of the Line	493	3,043	5,561	6,226	8,009	8,826	7,026	5,043	1	44,228	2	3	18	96	190	363	1,016	653	690	625	312	17	3,985	48,213
Total	819	4,673	7,794	8,727	11,128	11,184	8,872	5,552	14	58,763	2	3	58	150	339	544	1,303	904	877	783	419	24	5,406	64,169
General Total	26,166	22,118	18,497	19,870	23,067	22,065	17,590	7,799	24	157,196	561	368	971	847	1,135	1,959	3,175	2,409	2,195	1,998	1,147	50	16,815	174,011

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TABLE 53—*continued.*—PAST SERVICES of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

Corps.	Under Original Engagements.										Number who have extended their service.													Total.
	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	Over 8 years.	Total.	Under 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	Over 12 years.	Total.	
Cavalry of the Line	2,533	1,671	1,649	1,802	2,454	1,862	1,550	153	3	13,677	—	1	7	19	19	80	237	180	155	124	153	2	977	14,654
Royal Artillery -	4,305	4,233	3,207	3,514	3,781	2,962	2,400	594	13	25,009	—	—	171	242	370	412	539	600	481	405	187	5	3,412	28,421
Royal Engineers -	805	752	555	630	624	488	379	48	—	4,281	8	18	28	9	19	65	126	111	130	107	51	—	672	4,953
Foot Guards - -	917	622	329	28	9	14	10	9	—	1,938	459	242	415	358	377	569	119	46	34	40	32	2	2,693	4,631
Infantry of the Line	16,779	13,982	12,228	13,394	15,561	16,236	12,930	6,987	8	108,105	22	35	83	200	315	691	1,972	1,336	1,309	1,247	677	41	7,928	116,033
Colonial Corps - -	59	58	61	129	36	16	—	—	—	359	—	—	—	2	2	2	4	4	2	1	6	—	23	382
Army Service Corps	446	531	316	160	270	150	150	5	—	2,028	11	40	159	5	5	51	81	65	41	33	17	—	508	2,536
Ordnance Store Corps	26	31	62	83	79	107	46	1	—	435	—	—	—	—	6	8	28	21	11	9	3	—	86	521
Medical Staff Corps	296	238	90	130	253	230	125	2	—	1,364	61	32	108	12	22	81	69	46	32	32	21	—	516	1,880
Total - -	26,166	22,118	18,497	19,870	23,067	22,065	17,590	7,799	24	157,196	561	368	971	847	1,135	1,959	3,175	2,409	2,195	1,998	1,147	50	16,815	174,011

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TABLE 54.—TERMS of ENGAGEMENT of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the different arms on the 1st January 1891, at Home, in the Colonies, and in India.

Corps.	Long Service. 1st Period.					Re-engaged Men.					Short Service. Original Engagements.					Short Service. Men who have extended their service.					Not reported.	Total.
	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Sergeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.		
AT HOME.																						
Household Cavalry	83	19	44	882	1,028	75	5	4	97	181	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,209
Cavalry of the Line	36	133	25	360	554	495	8	90	324	917	147	6	424	7,926	8,503	267	4	93	283	647	24	10,645
Royal Artillery	84	180	170	960	1,394	792	7	296	1,227	2,322	42	—	503	11,050	11,595	272	—	325	963	1,560	—	16,871
Royal Engineers	22	77	43	203	345	464	—	130	143	737	30	—	243	2,954	3,227	120	—	171	238	529	—	4,838
Foot Guards	10	89	11	192	302	102	3	18	152	275	—	—	3	1,722	1,725	150	15	223	2,001	2,389	—	4,691
Infantry of the Line	114	724	179	2,490	3,507	1,399	53	350	1,670	3,472	908	192	2,439	42,857	46,396	1,005	222	367	1,432	3,026	35	56,436
Army Service Corps	23	37	8	63	131	216	—	45	62	323	40	—	162	1,763	1,965	109	—	95	265	469	—	2,888
Ordnance Store Corps	4	4	3	34	45	60	—	9	22	91	—	—	15	316	331	3	—	34	29	66	—	533
Corps of Armourers	59	—	—	16	75	86	—	—	—	86	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	161
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	38	—	—	1	39	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	42
Medical Staff Corps	5	7	11	41	64	155	—	71	99	325	7	—	70	1,045	1,122	90	—	64	195	349	—	1,860
Total	478	1,270	494	5,242	7,484	3,847	76	1,013	3,796	8,732	1,174	198	3,859	69,633	74,864	2,016	241	1,372	5,406	9,035	59	100,174
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.																						
Cavalry of the Line	2	8	4	36	50	19	—	7	10	36	8	—	23	492	523	25	—	7	25	57	4	670
Royal Artillery	23	67	41	130	261	132	—	20	64	216	16	—	142	3,372	3,530	116	—	113	475	704	—	4,711
Royal Engineers	5	31	11	33	80	151	—	25	26	202	37	—	164	853	1,054	54	—	37	52	143	—	1,479
Foot Guards	4	16	1	16	37	18	—	1	12	31	1	—	—	212	213	13	—	31	260	304	1	586
Infantry of the Line	33	216	61	693	1,003	285	6	61	233	585	316	73	676	16,416	17,481	387	67	100	363	917	52	20,038
Colonial Corps	77	48	123	1,870	2,118	51	1	18	85	155	10	—	18	331	359	23	—	—	—	23	2	2,657
Army Service Corps	2	—	—	—	2	33	—	7	1	41	1	—	14	48	63	13	—	16	10	39	—	145
Ordnance Store Corps	1	—	2	2	5	37	—	7	4	48	—	—	10	94	104	2	—	10	8	20	—	177
Corps of Armourers	30	—	—	—	30	14	—	—	—	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	44
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	36	—	—	—	36	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	1	8	9	42	—	4	8	54	4	—	17	221	242	26	—	34	107	167	—	472
Total	213	386	244	2,788	3,631	783	7	150	443	1,383	393	73	1,064	2,039	23,569	659	67	348	1,300	2,374	59	31,016
IN INDIA.																						
Cavalry of the Line	20	53	9	129	211	207	1	40	70	318	68	9	185	4,389	4,651	115	3	48	107	273	39	5,492
Royal Artillery	51	165	106	357	679	439	8	157	290	894	69	3	514	9,298	9,884	183	4	223	738	1,148	—	12,605
Royal Engineers	1	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Infantry of the Line	90	383	105	1,473	2,051	908	25	229	994	2,156	442	189	1,317	42,280	44,228	912	206	394	2,473	3,985	313	52,733
Corps of Armourers	74	—	—	—	74	19	—	—	—	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	93
Total	236	601	220	1,959	3,016	1,575	34	426	1,354	3,389	579	201	2,016	55,967	58,763	1,210	213	665	3,318	5,406	352	70,926
General Total	927	2,257	958	9,989	14,131	6,205	117	1,589	5,593	13,504	2,146	472	6,939	147,639	157,196	3,885	521	2,385	10,024	16,815	470	202,116

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TABLE 54—*continued.*—TERMS of ENGAGEMENT of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

Corps.	Long Service. 1st Period.					Re-engaged Men.					Short Service. Original Engagements.					Short Service. Men who have extended their Service.					Not reported.	Total.
	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.		
Household Cavalry -	83	19	44	882	1,028	75	5	4	97	181	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,209
Cavalry of the Line -	58	194	38	525	815	721	9	137	404	1,271	224	15	632	12,806	13,677	407	7	148	415	977	67	16,807
Royal Artillery - -	158	412	317	1,447	2,334	1,363	15	473	1,581	3,432	127	3	1,159	23,720	25,009	571	4	661	2,176	3,412	—	34,187
Royal Engineers - -	28	108	54	236	426	617	—	155	169	941	67	—	407	3,807	4,281	174	—	208	290	672	—	6,320
Foot Guards - - -	14	105	12	208	339	120	3	19	164	306	1	—	3	1,934	1,938	163	15	254	2,261	2,693	1	5,277
Infantry of the Line -	237	1,323	345	4,656	6,561	2,592	84	640	2,897	6,213	1,664	454	4,332	101,655	108,105	2,304	495	861	4,268	7,928	400	129,207
Colonial Corps - -	77	48	123	1,870	2,118	51	1	18	85	155	10	—	18	331	359	23	—	—	—	23	2	2,657
Army Service Corps -	25	37	8	63	133	249	—	52	63	364	41	—	176	1,811	2,028	122	—	111	275	508	—	3,033
Ordnance Store Corps -	5	4	5	36	50	97	—	16	26	139	—	—	25	410	435	5	—	44	37	86	—	710
Corps of Armourers -	163	—	—	16	179	119	—	—	—	119	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	298
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	74	—	—	1	75	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	79
Medical Staff Corps -	5	7	12	49	73	197	—	75	107	379	11	—	87	1,266	1,364	116	—	98	302	516	—	2,332
Total - -	927	2,257	958	9,989	14,131	6,205	117	1,589	5,593	13,504	2,145	472	6,839	147,740	157,196	3,885	521	2,385	10,024	16,815	470	202,116

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TABLE 55.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the number of men in possession of GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1891.

Date.	Medals and Annuities.	Medals and Gratuities.				Medals without Gratuities.				Year.
		Serjeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.	Serjeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.	
1st January 1873	8	695	83	537	1,315	96	28	208	332	1873
1st January 1874	8	698	98	670	1,466	99	23	220	342	1874
1st January 1875	9	667	87	682	1,436	106	19	294	419	1875
1st January 1876	7	526	84	579	1,189	96	18	187	301	1876
1st January 1877	9	1,612	342	2,223	4,177	—	—	—	—	1877
1st January 1878	5	1,580	305	2,282	4,167	—	—	—	—	1878
1st January 1879	5	1,678	321	2,262	4,261	—	—	—	—	1879
1st January 1880	13	1,607	259	2,012	3,878	—	—	—	—	1880
1st January 1881	9	1,382	223	1,454	3,059	—	—	—	—	1881
1st January 1882	12	1,116	161	937	2,214	—	—	—	—	1882
1st January 1883	3	996	133	822	1,951	—	—	—	—	1883
1st January 1884	4	961	136	888	1,985	—	—	—	—	1884
1st January 1885	7	915	163	934	2,012	—	—	—	—	1885
1st January 1886	6	911	140	1,039	2,090	—	—	—	—	1886
1st January 1887	6	283	159	1,046	1,488	534	—	2	536	1887
1st January 1888	4	442	136	1,002	1,580	500	—	2	502	1888
1st January 1889	3	294	145	815	1,254	632	—	1	633	1889
1st January 1890	2	227	161	863	1,251	845	—	1	846	1890
1st January 1891	1	183	146	730	1,059	850	—	1	851	1891

N.B.—By Royal Warrant of 14th August 1875, the regulations for the issue of Good Conduct Medals were revised, and the grant of Medals without Gratuities was discontinued, but was revived by Royal Warrant of 9th May 1885, to Non-Commissioned Officers only.

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TABLE 56.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the number of men in possession of GOOD CONDUCT BADGES on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1891.

Date.	One Badge.	Two Badges.	Three Badges.	Four Badges.	Five Badges.	Six Badges.	Total.	Year.
1st January 1873 - -	39,988	22,752	18,378	4,893	284	116	86,411	1873
1st January 1874 - -	41,584	22,736	17,187	6,485	215	8	88,215	1874
1st January 1875 - -	40,543	23,030	14,979	8,026	199	14	86,791	1875
1st January 1876 - -	40,146	22,697	13,910	8,881	316	13	85,963	1876
1st January 1877 - -	37,708	24,461	11,290	9,488	489	9	83,445	1877
1st January 1878 - -	34,697	25,707	9,849	9,738	308	11	80,310	1878
1st January 1879 - -	36,815	24,712	8,995	8,339	379	18	79,258	1879
1st January 1880 - -	41,550	23,926	9,072	6,612	565	25	81,750	1880
1st January 1881 - -	45,181	22,509	9,530	4,968	626	36	82,850	1881
1st January 1882 - -	45,722	18,959	8,177	3,582	583	41	77,064	1882
1st January 1883 - -	49,203	18,449	7,758	3,092	455	38	78,995	1883
1st January 1884 - -	43,491	14,808	7,214	3,293	371	44	69,221	1884
1st January 1885 - -	43,403	14,580	6,012	3,313	356	68	67,732	1885
1st January 1886 - -	47,465	15,764	5,271	3,405	345	95	72,345	1886
1st January 1887 - - -	52,376	15,697	4,604	3,558	356	108	76,699	1887
1st January 1888 - -	59,768	17,217	3,529	3,311	378	115	84,318	1888
1st January 1889 - -	67,599	17,590	2,658	2,645	392	106	90,990	1889
1st January 1890 - -	67,539	19,112	2,240	1,950	405	117	91,363	1890
1st January 1891 - -	65,309	20,587	2,248	1,526	367	123	90,160	1891

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TABLE 57.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the Past SERVICES of year from

Past Services.	Effectives.							
	1st Jan 1876.	1st Jan. 1877.	1st Jan. 1878.	1st Jan. 1879.	1st Jan. 1880.	1st Jan. 1881.	1st Jan. 1882.	1st Jan. 1883.
Under 1 year	16,530	26,418	24,112	23,257	23,258	21,886	22,809	21,039
1 to 2 years	15,104	14,063	22,799	19,021	21,067	20,111	19,497	19,887
2 to 3 „ -	11,699	14,609	13,748	20,565	19,459	19,659	19,286	18,364
3 to 4 „ -	11,825	11,017	13,310	12,075	20,005	18,923	19,619	17,915
4 to 5 „ -	14,297	11,294	10,379	12,402	12,586	18,565	18,402	17,932
5 to 6 „ -	15,358	13,919	10,466	10,140	11,477	11,537	15,630	16,334
6 to 7 „ -	7,726	13,133	9,727	6,105	6,297	6,826	6,546	16,196
7 to 8 „ -	8,710	6,672	11,529	8,068	5,401	4,861	5,452	7,560
8 to 9 „ -	8,615	8,109	6,347	10,274	8,379	4,760	4,639	5,632
9 to 10 „ -	6,787	7,803	7,219	5,710	9,619	7,604	4,700	4,617
10 to 11 „ -	4,557	4,985	6,500	6,459	5,407	8,744	6,935	4,601
11 to 12 „ -	4,584	3,994	4,269	5,690	6,075	4,827	8,339	6,631
12 to 13 „ -	3,113	3,976	3,447	3,685	4,933	4,862	3,458	5,034
13 to 14 „ -	2,660	2,960	3,510	3,175	3,386	4,392	4,205	2,964
14 to 15 „ -	3,688	2,321	2,810	3,196	3,106	3,297	3,979	3,392
15 to 16 „ -	6,122	3,322	2,137	2,516	3,038	2,829	2,915	3,527
16 to 17 „ -	7,215	5,546	3,032	1,917	2,420	2,948	2,513	2,688
17 to 18 „ -	9,786	6,719	5,263	2,775	2,007	2,259	2,771	2,255
18 to 19 „ -	5,640	9,194	6,239	4,651	2,882	1,878	2,266	2,273
19 to 20 „ -	3,291	5,096	8,104	5,132	4,146	2,396	1,576	1,840
20 to 21 „ -	5,362	3,214	4,638	6,474	4,810	3,798	2,236	1,315
Over 21 „ -	1,739	1,886	1,243	1,841	2,892	2,859	2,644	1,847
Not reported -	1,448	1,625	1,504	8,939	1,292	1,412	1,325	1,675
Total -	175,856	181,875	182,332	184,067	183,942	181,233	181,742	185,518
	Proportion per 1,000 men.							
Under 1 year	94	147	133	133	127	122	126	114
1 to 2 years	87	78	126	109	115	112	108	108
2 to 3 „ -	67	81	76	117	107	109	107	100
3 to 5 „ -	150	124	131	140	179	208	211	195
5 to 11 „ -	297	303	286	267	255	247	243	*299
11 to 16 „ -	116	92	90	104	112	112	127	117
Over 16 „ -	189	175	158	130	105	90	78	67

* The increase in the proportion of the number of men having between 5 and 11 Army Reserve mobilised in 1882 not having

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the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the 1st January in each 1876 to 1891.

Effectives.								Past Services.
1st Jan. 1884.	1st Jan. 1885.	1st Jan. 1886.	1st Jan. 1887.	1st Jan. 1888.	1st Jan. 1889.	1st Jan. 1890.	1st Jan. 1891.	
29,576	31,758	35,083	34,373	28,737	23,040	26,638	27,973	Under 1 year.
18,517	25,911	28,433	31,263	30,478	25,718	21,078	23,898	1 to 2 years
19,484	17,683	24,986	27,213	29,956	29,488	24,604	20,137	2 to 3 „
17,478	18,247	16,325	23,453	25,399	28,313	27,074	22,109	3 to 4 „
16,559	15,726	17,629	16,340	22,286	23,698	26,009	25,275	4 to 5 „
16,149	15,126	15,040	16,118	13,992	20,551	22,174	24,471	5 to 6 „
9,218	9,177	8,474	8,821	11,337	12,496	19,400	20,851	6 to 7 „
6,283	6,671	7,924	6,414	6,527	7,997	7,652	12,045	7 to 8 „
3,687	4,929	5,200	5,543	4,975	4,689	3,769	3,390	8 to 9 „
3,881	3,193	4,585	4,937	4,906	4,345	4,050	3,310	9 to 10 „
3,766	3,685	2,924	4,282	3,951	3,742	3,056	3,265	10 to 11 „
3,805	3,373	3,519	2,781	3,787	3,463	2,948	2,545	11 to 12 „
2,966	1,962	1,724	1,682	1,437	1,939	1,732	1,716	12 to 13 „
3,679	2,294	1,491	1,398	1,390	1,176	1,523	1,536	13 to 14 „
2,426	2,895	2,044	1,323	1,281	1,330	1,067	1,405	14 to 15 „
2,855	2,102	2,740	1,788	1,284	1,108	1,219	966	15 to 16 „
3,090	2,632	1,867	2,431	1,638	1,117	1,080	1,084	16 to 17 „
2,415	2,745	2,451	1,748	2,282	1,533	1,014	932	17 to 18 „
2,004	2,090	2,456	2,251	1,636	2,018	1,366	940	18 to 19 „
2,093	1,830	1,809	2,145	1,850	1,290	1,613	1,062	19 to 20 „
1,593	1,892	1,664	1,656	1,920	1,582	1,079	1,360	20 to 21 „
1,456	1,492	1,528	1,503	1,484	1,598	1,529	1,376	Over 21 „
549	3,595	3,033	1,044	527	530	224	470	Not reported.
173,529	181,008	192,929	200,507	203,060	202,761	201,848	202,116	Total.
Proportion per 1,000 men.								
171	179	185	172	142	114	132	139	Under 1 year.
107	146	150	157	150	127	105	119	1 to 2 years.
113	99	131	136	148	146	122	99	2 to 3 „
197	192	179	200	236	257	263	235	3 to 5 „
248	241	232	231	226	266	298	334	5 to 11 „
91	71	61	45	45	45	42	41	11 to 16 „
73	72	62	59	53	45	38	33	Over 16 „

years' service is due to the complete demobilisation of the portion of the 1st Class been effected on 1st January 1883.

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TABLE 58.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the Terms of Engagement of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1891.

Date.	Unlimited Service.					Long Service. 1st Period.					Re-engaged Men.					Short Service. Original engagements.					Short Service. Men who have extended their service.					Not reported.	Total.	Year.
	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.			
1st January 1873 -	103	12	23	190	328	2,285	2,533	4,807	81,438	91,063	10,104	1,199	5,923	54,801	72,027	11	23	135	17,768	17,937	—	—	—	—	—	1,213	182,568	1873
1st January 1874 -	96	3	7	62	168	2,350	2,427	4,856	73,853	83,486	10,000	1,164	5,535	51,815	68,514	37	72	490	24,233	24,832	—	—	—	—	—	1,337	178,337	1874
1st January 1875 -	50	1	6	35	92	2,434	2,385	4,871	69,302	78,992	9,823	1,112	5,113	47,788	63,836	132	132	1,011	32,405	33,680						1,676	178,276	1875
1st January 1876 -	33	1	3	25	62	2,607	2,367	4,651	61,813	71,438	9,633	1,024	4,835	45,362	60,854	272	202	1,527	39,993	42,054						1,448	175,856	1876
1st January 1877 -	26	—	1	15	42	2,796	2,306	4,496	54,356	63,954	9,304	965	4,661	42,016	56,946	469	324	1,810	56,705	59,308	Included in preceding columns.					1,625	181,875	1877
1st January 1878 -	20	—	—	16	36	2,958	2,289	4,462	48,212	57,921	8,881	901	4,421	38,269	52,472	547	346	2,232	67,274	70,399						1,504	182,332	1878
1st January 1879 -	15	—	1	3	19	2,904	2,088	4,092	41,265	50,349	8,340	838	3,979	32,812	45,969	1,093	451	2,831	74,327	78,707						9,023	184,067	1879
1st January 1880 -	18	—	1	2	21	3,301	2,115	3,801	37,520	46,737	7,775	704	3,628	28,781	40,078	872	494	3,089	84,838	89,293	587	61	366	2,174	3,188	3,725	183,042	1880
1st January 1881 -	11	—	—	1	12	3,038	2,094	3,405	33,428	41,965	7,417	732	3,641	24,976	36,766	1,207	536	3,669	91,746	97,158	785	65	446	2,529	3,825	1,507	181,233	1881
1st January 1882 -	9	—	—	2	11	2,739	2,053	2,959	29,920	37,671	7,536	543	3,492	20,816	32,387	1,472	632	4,078	99,205	105,387	950	89	546	3,119	4,704	1,582	181,742	1882
1st January 1883 -	—	—	—	—	—	2,354	2,065	2,559	24,988	31,966	6,855	420	3,173	17,507	27,955	1,820	775	4,860	110,195	117,650	1,231	101	719	3,948	5,999	1,948	185,518	1883
1st January 1884 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,959	2,072	2,172	18,969	25,172	6,034	369	3,001	15,016	25,020	1,642	703	4,844	103,084	110,273	1,920	174	1,226	9,107	12,427	637	173,529	1884
1st January 1885 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,704	2,054	1,806	16,614	22,178	6,537	270	2,671	12,915	22,393	1,634	734	5,144	109,436	116,948	2,372	193	1,537	11,706	15,808	3,681	181,008	1885
1st January 1886 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,590	2,103	1,593	14,080	19,966	6,361	231	2,310	11,165	20,067	1,716	764	5,635	122,678	130,793	2,879	222	1,823	14,146	19,070	3,033	192,929	1886
1st January 1887 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,399	2,131	1,346	12,992	17,868	6,302	202	2,170	9,687	18,361	1,668	734	5,970	134,384	142,756	3,282	263	2,158	14,775	20,478	1,044	200,507	1887
1st January 1888 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,206	2,175	1,215	11,681	16,277	6,285	184	2,069	8,512	17,050	1,864	697	6,316	140,418	149,295	3,420	346	2,179	13,953	19,898	540	203,060	1888
1st January 1889 -	—	—	—	—	—	992	2,196	1,026	10,735	14,949	6,350	159	1,990	7,361	15,860	2,064	646	6,665	144,257	153,632	3,389	391	2,130	11,881	17,791	529	202,761	1889
1st January 1890 -	—	—	—	—	—	995	2,197	981	9,999	14,172	6,236	132	1,775	6,257	14,400	2,213	588	6,970	146,831	156,602	3,600	440	2,148	10,262	16,450	224	201,848	1890
1st January 1891 -	—	—	—	—	—	927	2,257	958	9,989	14,131	6,205	117	1,589	5,593	13,504	2,146	472	6,939	147,639	157,196	3,885	521	2,385	10,024	16,815	470	202,116	1891

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PART VI.

AGES, HEIGHTS, AND CHEST MEASUREMENTS.

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PART VI.—AGES, HEIGHTS,

TABLE 59.—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the Colonies and

(*a.*) Sergeants.

Corps.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.
AT HOME.										
Household Cavalry	—	—	—	1	1	5	13	13	9	9
Cavalry of the Line	—	2	6	19	7	30	49	60	83	81
Royal Artillery	—	2	4	10	24	38	29	51	71	90
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	3	4	6	21	22	28	31
Foot Guards	—	—	—	—	2	9	28	23	29	19
Infantry of the Line	1	7	26	97	189	317	279	239	289	291
Army Service Corps	—	—	1	2	3	12	30	23	32	27
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	1
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	5	4	6	5	4	7	3
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	2	2	5	4	2	2	2
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	2	5	4	11	9	22
Total	1	11	37	139	238	433	462	451	561	576
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.										
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	3	7	6
Royal Artillery	—	—	2	2	9	7	14	14	31	33
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	1	2	8	11	15	14	25
Foot Guards	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	2	2	3
Infantry of the Line	—	—	3	13	41	108	124	132	103	103
Colonial Corps	—	—	1	5	3	7	8	13	11	15
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	6	4
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	5	2	3	5	4
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	6	6
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	1	6	4	1	9
Total	—	—	6	22	55	141	170	190	188	209
IN INDIA.										
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	5	7	16	20	25	22	38
Royal Artillery	—	—	1	3	9	21	32	40	61	67
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line	—	—	5	25	53	148	239	249	243	259
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	12	14	9	3	5	4
Total	—	—	6	33	81	199	300	317	331	368
General Total	1	11	49	194	374	773	932	958	1,080	1,153
Proportion per 1,000	—	1	4	15	29	59	71	73	83	88
				108				379		

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AND CHEST MEASUREMENTS.

several arms of the service on the 1st January 1891, at Home, in the in India.

(*a.*) Sergeants.

29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
7	15	13	7	14	12	10	9	6	4	4	6	—	—	158
45	67	42	65	57	50	51	52	44	55	33	46	1	7	952
69	78	64	72	74	57	64	68	67	68	58	117	15	—	1,190
35	41	37	40	35	43	53	34	40	39	37	87	—	—	636
25	18	13	23	15	13	8	7	7	7	5	11	—	—	262
189	216	180	170	129	89	90	111	95	109	87	216	10	17	3,443
23	30	23	27	33	23	19	19	9	16	17	19	—	—	388
6	5	7	8	1	5	5	6	4	5	2	7	—	—	67
5	4	6	4	7	10	6	9	7	5	8	40	—	—	145
3	2	6	3	—	1	2	—	—	—	1	4	—	—	41
13	29	22	17	25	22	19	14	14	8	8	13	—	—	257
420	505	413	436	390	325	327	329	293	316	260	566	26	24	7,539
3	5	5	5	3	1	1	—	2	4	2	1	—	—	53
18	11	20	20	22	18	7	13	11	9	10	14	2	—	287
13	21	20	13	16	16	18	12	10	7	5	21	—	—	248
9	1	4	1	4	1	2	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	36
76	56	57	37	35	30	26	22	12	13	8	22	—	2	1,023
14	10	13	8	3	7	11	4	6	1	4	17	—	—	161
5	3	5	6	4	2	4	3	1	1	1	1	—	—	49
1	4	3	4	6	5	2	6	3	1	1	1	—	—	40
3	6	5	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	—	—	—	44
3	2	5	4	1	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37
7	4	6	3	5	8	5	5	1	2	1	4	—	—	72
152	123	143	103	100	91	81	70	47	41	33	81	2	2	2,050
35	36	34	31	26	25	20	17	12	15	11	14	1	—	410
50	60	64	57	41	41	50	34	33	28	19	31	—	—	742
—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	3
204	182	149	139	109	100	63	46	42	44	21	41	—	14	2,366
8	9	6	2	5	3	3	1	2	2	4	1	—	—	93
297	288	253	220	181	169	137	98	89	89	55	88	1	14	3,614
869	916	809	759	671	585	545	497	429	446	348	735	29	40	13,203
64	70	62	57	51	44	41	38	32	34	26	58		—	1,000
	284					171								

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TABLE 59—*continued.*—Ages of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Colonies and

(*b.*) Corporals and Bombardiers.

Corps.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.
AT HOME.											
Household Cavalry	—	—	—	—	—	4	6	5	10	5	8
Cavalry of the Line	—	1	4	35	69	59	85	83	64	47	39
Royal Artillery	4	8	35	83	125	110	116	131	93	92	106
Royal Engineers	—	2	1	16	29	36	64	65	63	66	39
Foot Guards	—	—	1	8	28	46	39	48	30	14	12
Infantry of the Line	5	48	170	337	535	528	449	275	215	180	126
Army Service Corps	—	—	1	4	27	39	46	33	37	36	22
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	2	5	14	10
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	1	4	9	33	17	18	16	10
Total	9	59	212	484	817	832	842	659	535	470	372
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.											
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	1	4	4	3	4	7	—	8
Royal Artillery	1	—	5	17	37	36	51	43	32	27	16
Royal Engineers	—	—	1	6	15	25	33	33	22	20	17
Foot Guards	—	—	—	—	2	2	4	8	4	2	6
Infantry of the Line	—	—	11	57	90	149	171	141	84	50	49
Colonial Corps	1	—	—	7	4	14	18	20	18	18	14
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	3	5	6	2	5	5
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	6	4	4	3
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	1	2	11	6	9	4	4
Total	2	—	17	88	153	237	298	267	182	130	122
IN INDIA.											
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	3	9	9	33	33	47	33	25	23
Royal Artilery	—	4	20	30	53	107	135	111	107	110	70
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line	—	1	15	42	107	223	372	333	279	171	145
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	5	38	81	169	363	540	491	419	306	238
General Total	11	64	267	653	1,139	1,432	1,680	1,417	1,136	906	732
Proportion per 1,000	1	5	22	55	96	120	140	120	96	77	62
			433					395			

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of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1891, at Home, in the in India.

(*b.*) Corporals and Bombardiers.

20 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
3	1	2	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	48
24	31	13	14	8	9	5	8	11	12	3	8	—	—	632
46	45	43	30	19	20	26	26	25	21	25	64	1	—	1,294
40	38	28	23	11	13	10	12	7	7	7	10	—	—	587
5	6	5	3	2	1	—	1	2	—	—	4	—	—	255
82	80	50	41	37	30	36	15	19	18	18	40	1	—	3,335
12	12	10	7	2	6	2	1	5	2	3	3	—	—	310
5	4	3	5	4	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	61
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	8	16	8	8	2	17	8	5	12	8	7	—	—	216
226	225	170	133	92	81	97	71	75	73	65	137	2	—	6,738
2	1	3	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	41
13	7	7	2	2	3	4	—	4	2	1	6	—	—	316
19	17	13	3	2	3	—	1	1	1	2	3	—	—	237
1	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	33
20	19	12	11	12	4	4	6	2	2	3	1	—	—	898
12	8	4	5	1	—	—	2	1	2	5	5	—	—	159
1	2	2	—	2	—	—	1	—	2	—	1	—	—	37
1	3	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	6	3	3	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	56
70	64	44	29	22	13	13	10	8	10	11	16	—	—	1,806
17	9	6	7	6	7	3	3	2	—	5	2	—	—	282
51	42	37	19	16	18	12	12	13	10	7	16	—	—	1,000
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
107	73	46	33	26	17	13	12	7	6	6	11	—	—	2,045
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
175	124	89	59	48	42	28	27	22	16	18	29	—	—	3,327
471	413	303	221	162	136	138	108	105	99	94	182	2	—	11,871
40	34	26	19	14	12	12	9	9	8	8	15		—	1,000
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TABLE 59—*continued.*—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men in the Colonies

(*c.*) Privates, Drummers, &c.

Corps.	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.
AT HOME.												
Household Cavalry	5	24	67	61	91	81	94	92	86	76	60	56
Cavalry of the Line	155	693	1,200	1,128	902	970	905	825	641	521	305	225
Royal Artillery	539	1,534	2,676	1,582	1,083	1,057	916	842	725	558	445	362
Royal Engineers	191	136	348	444	375	355	377	331	281	217	127	99
Foot Guards	86	283	524	544	463	400	355	383	324	222	160	109
Infantry of the Line	1,497	7,919	9,989	6,588	4,430	4,178	3,804	3,082	2,132	1,341	929	803
Army Service Corps	48	192	332	325	338	231	213	140	98	76	54	32
Ordnance Store Corps	15	12	10	40	32	52	40	54	43	25	15	15
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	9	4	3	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	6	93	184	134	137	120	133	107	104	68	44	35
Total	2,542	10,891	15,330	10,846	7,860	7,448	6,840	5,856	4,434	3,104	2,139	1,736
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.												
Cavalry of the Line	14	5	32	34	65	78	98	80	52	37	31	19
Royal Artillery	45	98	230	364	350	498	555	438	381	306	216	220
Royal Engineers	28	6	38	56	95	90	128	101	139	80	70	48
Foot Guards	13	4	66	66	71	43	46	50	37	33	24	17
Infantry of the Line	289	265	689	1,625	2,010	2,307	2,612	2,651	2,140	1,250	721	546
Colonial Corps	26	51	122	178	181	234	241	241	180	192	155	145
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	1	3	7	9	12	8	2	2	4
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	4	5	12	16	33	17	7	5	1
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	10	27	44	57	49	48	30	19	13	10
Total	406	429	1,187	2,355	2,824	3,326	3,754	3,654	2,984	1,926	1,237	1,010
IN INDIA.												
Cavalry of the Line	45	19	96	302	448	627	738	744	573	412	291	189
Royal Artillery	69	51	99	847	1,201	1,403	1,326	1,244	1,216	963	682	581
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line	421	199	343	3,418	5,190	5,905	6,931	7,307	6,124	4,179	2,436	1,809
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	535	269	538	4,567	6,839	7,935	8,995	9,295	7,913	5,554	3,409	2,579
General Total	3,483	11,589	17,055	17,768	17,523	18,709	19,589	18,805	15,331	10,584	6,785	5,325
Proportion per 1,000 men	20	66	97	100	99	106	111	107	87	60	38	30
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of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1891, at Home, and in India.

(*c.*) Privates, Drummers, &c.

29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
38	39	24	27	13	15	13	10	8	8	5	10	—	—	1,003
125	88	66	43	47	37	41	27	33	20	14	33	—	17	9,061
319	230	168	164	159	96	128	121	135	125	96	305	22	—	14,387
77	50	34	31	22	26	15	12	6	6	7	48	—	—	3,615
84	57	37	18	22	16	15	12	11	12	7	27	3	—	4,174
488	404	302	231	211	177	146	131	132	204	165	343	14	18	49,658
22	16	11	7	5	3	5	4	11	10	7	10	—	—	2,190
9	9	8	7	2	2	2	2	—	4	—	7	—	—	405
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16
—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
37	35	15	20	17	12	12	18	9	14	9	18	1	—	1,387
1,199	928	665	549	498	384	377	337	345	403	311	801	40	35	85,897
12	6	1	2	2	2	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	4	576
155	93	48	28	17	23	8	5	5	7	4	14	—	—	4,108
35	35	11	6	2	4	5	3	—	1	6	7	—	—	994
6	12	8	3	3	4	3	—	1	4	1	1	—	1	517
388	188	130	59	51	44	32	15	12	19	12	21	—	50	18,117
105	78	53	36	24	10	16	9	13	5	6	34	—	2	2,337
3	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	59
1	2	1	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	108
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18	8	2	4	3	—	—	3	2	—	—	2	—	—	344
718	430	254	140	104	87	64	35	33	37	30	79	—	57	27,160
113	60	31	18	12	10	5	8	6	4	4	5	1	39	4,800
354	280	141	80	80	56	43	28	30	27	24	38	—	—	10,863
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,254	810	517	313	214	169	118	88	55	69	52	99	3	209	48,322
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,721	1,150	689	411	306	235	166	124	91	100	80	142	4	338	63,985
3,638	2,508	1,608	1,100	908	706	607	496	469	540	420	1,022	44	430	177,042
21	14	9	6	5	4	3	3	3	3	2	6	—	—	1,000
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TABLE 59—*continued* (*d.*)—Ages of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Colonies and

Corps.	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.
AT HOME.												
Household Cavalry	5	24	67	61	91	82	99	103	104	99	74	73
Cavalry of the Line	155	693	1,201	1,134	943	1,058	971	940	773	645	435	345
Royal Artillery	539	1,538	2,684	1,619	1,170	1,192	1,050	996	885	702	608	558
Royal Engineers	191	136	350	445	391	387	417	401	367	302	221	169
Foot Guards	86	283	524	545	471	428	403	431	400	275	203	140
Infantry of the Line	1,497	7,924	10,038	6,765	4,793	4,810	4,521	3,848	2,686	1,795	1,398	1,220
Army Service Corps	48	192	332	326	343	260	255	198	161	136	122	81
Ordnance Store Corps	15	12	10	40	32	52	41	58	45	33	31	26
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	9	9	7	6	5	4	7	3
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	5	4	2	2	2
Medical Staff Corps	6	98	184	134	138	124	144	145	125	97	69	67
Total	2,542	10,900	15,390	11,069	8,381	8,404	7,910	7,131	5,555	4,090	3,170	2,684
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.												
Cavalry of the Line	14	5	32	34	66	82	102	86	58	47	38	33
Royal Artillery	45	99	230	369	369	537	600	496	438	352	274	269
Royal Engineers	28	6	38	57	101	106	155	142	183	117	104	90
Foot Guards	13	4	66	66	71	46	48	54	47	39	28	26
Infantry of the Line	280	265	689	1,636	2,070	2,410	2,802	2,930	2,405	1,466	874	698
Colonial Corps	26	52	122	178	189	243	258	266	208	223	184	174
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	1	3	7	12	19	15	4	13	13
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	4	5	12	18	35	23	11	11	5
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	2	3	5	4
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	6	6
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	10	27	44	58	51	60	42	32	18	23
Total	406	431	1,187	2,372	2,918	3,501	4,046	4,093	3,421	2,298	1,555	1,341
IN INDIA.												
Cavalry of the Line	45	19	96	305	457	641	778	793	640	470	338	250
Royal Artillery	69	51	103	867	1,232	1,459	1,442	1,400	1,359	1,110	853	718
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line	421	199	344	3,433	5,237	6,037	7,207	7,827	6,696	4,707	2,850	2,213
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	14	9	3	5	4
Total	535	269	543	4,605	6,926	8,137	9,439	10,034	8,704	6,290	4,046	3,185
General Total	3,483	11,600	17,120	18,046	18,225	20,042	21,395	21,258	17,680	12,678	8,771	7,210
Proportion per 1,000 men	17	57	84	91	90	100	106	106	87	63	44	36
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of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1891, at Home, in the in India.

29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
48	55	39	36	28	27	23	19	14	12	10	16	—	—	1,209
194	186	121	122	112	96	97	87	88	87	50	87	1	24	10,645
434	353	275	266	252	173	218	215	227	214	179	486	38	—	16,871
152	129	99	94	68	82	78	58	53	52	51	145	—	—	4,838
114	81	55	44	39	30	23	20	20	19	12	42	3	—	4,691
759	700	532	442	377	296	272	257	246	331	270	599	25	35	56,436
57	58	44	41	40	32	26	24	25	28	27	32	—	—	2,888
20	18	18	20	7	7	8	8	5	10	2	15	—	—	533
5	4	6	4	7	10	6	9	7	5	8	40	—	—	161
3	2	6	4	—	1	2	—	—	—	1	4	—	—	42
59	72	53	45	50	36	48	40	28	34	25	38	1	—	1,860
1,845	1,658	1,248	1,118	980	790	801	737	713	792	635	1,504	68	59	100,174
17	12	9	10	5	4	1	—	2	5	3	1	—	4	670
186	111	75	50	41	44	19	18	20	18	15	34	2	—	4,711
67	73	44	22	20	23	23	16	11	9	13	31	—	—	1,479
16	14	12	4	7	5	7	3	1	6	1	1	—	1	586
484	263	199	107	98	78	62	43	26	34	23	44	—	52	20,038
131	96	70	49	28	17	27	15	20	8	15	56	—	2	2,657
9	13	7	6	6	2	4	4	1	3	1	2	—	—	145
3	9	4	8	9	5	3	6	3	1	1	1	—	—	177
3	6	5	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	—	—	—	44
3	2	5	4	1	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37
21	18	11	10	10	10	7	8	3	2	1	6	—	—	472
940	617	441	272	226	191	158	115	88	88	74	176	2	59	31,016
165	105	71	56	44	42	28	28	20	19	20	21	2	39	5,492
455	382	242	156	137	115	105	74	76	65	50	85	—	—	12,605
—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	3
1,565	1,065	712	476	349	286	194	146	104	119	79	151	3	313	52,733
8	9	6	2	5	3	3	1	2	2	4	1	—	—	93
2,193	1,562	1,031	690	535	446	331	249	202	205	153	259	5	352	70,926
4,978	3,837	2,720	2,080	1,741	1,427	1,290	1,101	1,003	1,085	862	1,939	75	470	202,116
25	19	14	10	9	7	6	5	5	5	4	10		—	1,000
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TABLE 59—*continued.*—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

(*a.*) Sergeants—Home and Abroad.

—	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	—	—	—	1	1	5	13	13	9	9	7	15	13	7	14	12	10	9	6	4	4	6	—	—	158
Cavalry of the Line	—	2	6	24	14	49	71	88	112	125	83	108	81	101	86	76	72	69	58	74	46	61	2	7	1,415
Royal Artillery	—	2	7	15	42	66	75	105	163	190	137	149	148	149	137	116	121	115	111	105	87	162	17	—	2,219
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	4	6	14	32	37	42	56	48	63	57	53	51	59	72	46	50	46	42	109	—	—	887
Foot Guards	—	—	—	1	2	9	30	25	31	22	34	19	17	24	19	14	10	10	7	8	5	11	—	—	298
Infantry of the Line	1	7	34	135	283	573	642	620	635	653	469	454	386	337	273	219	179	179	149	166	116	279	10	33	6,832
Colonial Corps	—	—	1	5	3	7	8	13	11	15	14	10	13	8	3	7	11	4	6	1	4	17	—	—	161
Army Service Corps	—	—	1	2	3	14	31	23	38	31	28	33	28	33	37	25	23	22	10	17	18	20	—	—	437
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	2	7	9	10	12	7	10	7	12	7	6	3	8	—	—	107
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	5	16	25	16	10	17	11	16	19	17	8	13	14	10	12	10	9	13	41	—	—	282
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	2	2	5	4	6	8	8	6	4	11	7	1	3	6	—	—	—	1	4	—	—	78
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	2	6	10	15	10	31	20	33	28	20	30	30	24	19	15	10	9	17	—	—	329
Total	1	11	49	194	374	773	932	958	1,080	1,153	869	916	809	759	671	585	545	497	429	446	348	735	29	40	13,263

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TABLE 59—*continued.*—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

(*b.*) Corporals, &c.—Home and Abroad.

Corps.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	—	—	—	—	—	4	6	5	10	5	8	3	1	2	2	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	48
Cavalry of the Line	—	1	7	45	82	96	121	134	104	72	70	43	41	22	24	14	17	8	11	13	12	8	10	—	—	955
Royal Artillery	5	12	60	130	215	253	302	285	232	229	192	110	94	87	51	37	41	42	38	42	33	33	86	1	—	2,610
Royal Engineers	—	2	2	22	44	61	97	98	85	86	56	59	55	41	26	13	16	10	13	8	8	9	13	—	—	824
Foot Guards	—	—	1	8	30	48	43	56	34	16	18	6	7	5	3	2	1	2	1	2	1	—	4	—	—	288
Infantry of the Line	5	49	196	436	732	900	992	749	578	401	320	209	172	108	85	75	51	53	33	28	26	27	52	1	—	6,278
Colonial Corps	1	—	—	7	4	14	18	20	18	18	14	12	8	4	5	1	—	—	2	1	2	5	5	—	—	159
Army Service Corps	—	—	1	4	27	42	51	39	39	41	27	13	14	12	7	4	6	2	2	5	4	3	4	—	—	347
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	3	6	8	9	18	13	6	7	3	7	5	—	2	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	90
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	1	5	11	44	23	27	20	14	10	14	19	11	10	4	19	8	5	12	8	7	—	—	272
Total	11	64	267	653	1,139	1 432	1,680	1,417	1,136	906	732	471	413	303	221	162	136	138	108	105	99	94	182	2	—	11,871

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TABLE 59—*continued.*—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

(*c.*) Privates and Drummers, &c.—Home and Abroad.

—	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	5	24	67	61	91	81	94	92	86	76	60	56	38	39	24	27	13	15	13	10	8	8	5	10	—	—	1,003
Cavalry of the Line	214	717	1,328	1,464	1,415	1,675	1,741	1,649	1,266	970	627	433	250	154	98	63	61	49	46	35	39	25	19	33	1	60	14,437
Royal Artillery -	653	1,683	3,005	2,793	2,634	2,958	2,797	2,524	2,322	1,827	1,343	1,163	828	603	357	272	256	175	179	154	170	159	124	357	22	—	29,358
Royal Engineers -	219	142	386	500	470	445	505	432	420	297	197	147	112	85	45	37	24	30	20	15	6	7	13	55	—	—	4,609
Foot Guards - -	99	287	590	610	534	443	401	433	361	255	184	126	90	69	45	21	25	20	18	12	12	16	8	28	3	1	4,691
Infantry of the Line	2,198	8,383	11,021	11,631	11,630	12,390	13,347	13,040	10,396	6,770	4,086	3,158	2,130	1,402	949	603	476	390	296	234	199	292	229	463	17	367	116,097
Colonial Corps -	26	51	122	178	181	234	241	241	180	192	155	145	105	78	53	36	24	10	16	9	13	5	6	34	—	2	2,337
Army Service Corps	48	192	332	326	341	238	222	152	106	78	56	36	25	24	11	7	5	3	5	4	11	10	7	10	—	—	2,249
Ordnance Store Corps	15	12	10	44	37	64	56	87	60	32	20	16	10	11	9	9	4	2	2	2	—	4	—	7	—	—	513
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	9	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Medical Staff Corps	6	98	194	161	181	177	182	155	134	87	57	45	50	43	17	24	20	12	12	21	11	14	9	20	1	—	1,731
Total - -	3,483	11,589	17,055	17,768	17,523	18,709	19,589	18,805	15,331	10,584	6,785	5,325	3,638	2,508	1,608	1,100	908	706	607	496	469	540	420	1,022	44	430	177,042

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TABLE 59—*continued.*—(*d.*) Ages of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.—Home and Abroad.

Corps.	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	5	24	67	61	91	82	99	103	104	99	74	73	48	55	39	36	28	27	23	19	14	12	10	16	—	—	1,209
Cavalry of the Line	214	717	1,329	1,473	1,466	1,781	1,851	1,819	1,471	1,162	811	628	376	303	201	188	161	143	126	115	110	111	73	109	3	67	16,807
Royal Artillery -	653	1,688	3,017	2,855	2,771	3,188	3,092	2,892	2,682	2,164	1,735	1,545	1,075	846	592	472	430	332	342	307	323	297	244	605	40	—	34,187
Royal Engineers -	219	142	388	502	492	493	572	543	550	419	325	259	219	203	143	116	88	105	102	74	64	61	64	177	—	—	6,320
Foot Guards - -	99	287	590	611	542	474	451	485	447	314	231	166	130	95	67	48	46	35	30	23	21	25	13	43	3	1	5,277
Infantry of the Line	2,198	8,388	11,071	11,834	12,100	13,257	14,530	14,605	11,787	7,968	5,122	4,131	2,808	2,028	1,443	1,025	824	660	528	446	376	484	372	794	28	400	129,207
Colonial Corps -	26	52	122	178	189	243	258	266	208	223	184	174	131	96	70	49	28	17	27	15	20	8	15	56	—	2	2,057
Army Service Corps	48	192	332	327	346	267	267	217	176	140	135	94	66	71	51	47	46	34	30	28	26	31	28	34	—	—	3,033
Ordnance Store Corps	15	12	10	44	37	64	59	93	68	44	42	31	23	27	22	28	16	12	11	14	8	11	3	16	—	—	710
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	9	9	19	25	16	10	17	11	16	19	17	8	13	14	10	12	10	9	13	41	—	—	298
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	5	4	6	8	8	6	4	11	8	1	3	6	—	—	—	1	4	—	—	79
Medical Staff Corps	6	98	194	161	182	182	195	205	167	129	87	90	80	90	64	55	60	46	55	48	31	36	26	44	1	—	2,332
Total - -	3,483	11,600	17,120	18,046	18,225	20,042	21,395	21,258	17,680	12,678	8,771	7,210	4,978	3,837	2,720	2,080	1,741	1,427	1,290	1,101	1,003	1,085	862	1,939	75	470	202,116

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TABLE 60.—HEIGHTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January 1891, showing the several arms of the service.

Corps.	Under 5 feet 5 inches.	5 feet 5 inches and under 5 feet 6 inches.	5 feet 6 inches and under 5 feet 7 inches.	5 feet 7 inches and under 5 feet 8 inches.	5 feet 8 inches and under 5 feet 9 inches.	5 feet 9 inches and under 5 feet 10 inches.	5 feet 10 inches and under 5 feet 11 inches.	5 feet 11 inches and under 6 feet.	6 feet and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	15	9	19	12	19	9	22	379	725	—	1,209
Cavalry of the Line	209	238	2,834	4,369	4,116	2,787	1,391	561	235	67	16,807
Royal Artillery	3,490	4,017	5,621	6,566	5,768	4,138	2,370	1,372	845	—	34,187
Royal Engineers	300	490	1,235	1,474	1,198	793	475	237	118	—	6,320
Foot Guards	111	45	50	376	1,309	1,450	957	546	432	1	5,277
Infantry of the Line	17,738	27,175	29,527	22,647	14,847	8,693	4,768	2,194	1,135	483	129,207
Colonial Corps	204	339	496	507	419	320	181	136	53	2	2,657
Army Service Corps	918	760	562	339	212	137	59	37	9	—	3,033
Ordnance Store Corps	30	87	146	131	125	90	59	27	15	—	710
Corps of Armourers	15	43	45	45	45	60	19	18	8	—	298
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	3	10	12	16	14	8	9	3	4	—	79
Medical Staff Corps	528	492	444	325	231	168	78	44	22	—	2,332
Total	23,561	33,705	40,991	36,807	28,303	18,653	10,388	5,554	3,601	553	202,116
Proportion per 1,000 men	117	167	203	182	140	93	52	28	18	—	1,000
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TABLE 61.—CHEST MEASUREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January 1891, showing the several arms of the service.

Corps.	Under 33 inches.	33 inches and under 34 inches.	34 inches and under 35 inches.	35 inches and under 36 inches.	36 inches and under 37 inches.	37 inches and under 38 inches.	38 inches and under 39 inches.	39 inches and under 40 inches.	40 inches and over.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry -	13	9	17	69	198	279	263	193	168	—	1,209
Cavalry of the Line -	235	531	2,186	2,909	3,524	3,443	2,311	1,082	519	67	16,807
Royal Artillery - -	602	1,636	4,613	6,291	6,643	5,704	4,446	2,485	1,767	—	34,187
Royal Engineers - -	165	150	704	1,130	1,683	1,301	691	296	200	—	6,320
Foot Guards - -	111	119	414	754	1,179	1,058	872	467	302	1	5,277
Infantry of the Line -	3,060	7,672	22,023	28,706	30,745	18,875	11,165	4,225	2,253	483	129,207
Colonial Corps - -	97	234	466	598	536	362	223	86	53	2	2,657
Army Service Corps -	39	324	780	598	535	389	192	107	69	—	3,033
Ordnance Store Corps -	9	23	89	131	177	125	93	47	16	—	710
Corps of Armourers -	18	34	48	55	37	36	34	26	10	—	298
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	2	5	12	13	19	12	10	5	1	—	79
Medical Staff Corps -	23	208	527	500	444	280	192	75	83	—	2,332
General Total -	4,374	10,945	31,879	41,754	45,720	31,864	20,492	9,094	5,441	553	202,116
Proportion per 1,000 men	22	54	158	207	227	158	102	45	27	—	1,000
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TABLE 62.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1891.

Years.	Proportion per 1,000 men.							
	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.
1873	20	49	86	317	208	191	107	22
1874	16	35	61	332	221	180	127	28
1875	17	30	50	343	220	156	149	35
1876	17	29	51	341	233	135	152	42
1877	16	39	58	347	242	123	140	35
1878	16	35	65	356	252	117	126	33
1879	16	32	58	375	258	123	102	36
1880	16	30	54	407	257	125	82	29
1881	17	34	53	413	254	130	74	25
1882	17	20*	78*	415	252	129	69	20
1883	15	10	64	427	278	131	61	14
1884	19	36†	64	459	240	108	60	14
1885	19	49	87	450	228	94	59	14
1886	18	53	95	468	220	82	51	13
1887	17	57	94	489	211	71	48	13
1888	17	48	91	497	223	70	41	13
1889	17	41	74	513	244	65	34	12
1890	17	53	77	502	250	60	31	10
1891	17	57	84	493	255	59	25	10

	Abstract of the foregoing numbers.		
	Under 20 years.	20 to 30 years.	Over 30 years.
1873	155	525	320
1874	112	553	335
1875	97	563	340
1876	97	574	329
1877	113	589	298
1878	116	608	276
1879	106	633	261
1880	100	664	236
1881	104	667	229
1882	115	667	218
1883	89	705	206
1884	119†	699	182
1885	155	678	167
1886	166	688	146
1887	168	700	132
1888	156	720	124
1889	132	757	111
1890	147	752	101
1891	158	748	94

* By G.O. 82 of 1881 the minimum age of Recruits was raised from 18 to 19 years.
† On 27th April 1883 authority was given to enlist (specially) Recruits at 18 years of age.

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TABLE 63.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the HEIGHTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1891.

Years.	Proportion per 1,000 men.								
	Under 5 ft. 5 in.	5 ft. 5 in. to 5 ft. 6 in.	5 ft. 6 in. to 5 ft. 7 in.	5 ft. 7 in. to 5 ft. 8 in.	5 ft. 8 in. to 5 ft. 9 in.	5 ft. 9 in. to 5 ft. 10 in.	5 ft. 10 in. to 5 ft. 11 in.	5 ft. 11 in. to 6 ft.	6 ft. and upwards.
1873	69	143	200	206	162	106	62	31	21
1874	62	138	196	206	168	113	63	32	22
1875	65	135	203	205	164	110	63	33	22
1876	68	137	200	204	165	109	62	33	22
1877	72	144	202	201	160	106	62	32	21
1878	71	151	207	202	158	102	58	31	20
1879	65	143	207	204	162	106	62	31	20
1880	56	134	208	209	168	109	64	32	20
1881	52	138	212	209	166	108	63	32	20
1882	60	138	210	206	161	110	63	32	20
1883	58	141	213	206	163	106	61	32	20
1884	91*	146	200	195	157	102	60	30	19
1885	101	152	196	189	153	100	60	30	19
1886	99	172	202	187	146	93	56	28	17
1887	102	176	205	187	141	90	55	27	17
1888	114	170	200	186	142	92	53	26	17
1889	106	170	205	188	143	93	52	26	17
1890	115	170	200	184	141	93	52	27	18
1891	117	167	203	182	140	93	52	28	18

Years.	Abstract of the foregoing numbers.	
	Under 5 feet 7 inches.	Over 5 feet 7 inches.
1873	412	588
1874	396	604
1875	403	597
1876	405	595
1877	418	582
1878	429	571
1879	415	585
1880	398	602
1881	402	598
1882	408	592
1883	412	588
1884	437*	563
1885	449	551
1886	473	527
1887	483	517
1888	484	516
1889	481	519
1890	485	515
1891	487	513

* On 27th April 1883 authority was given to enlist (specially) Recruits between 5 ft. 3 in. and 5 ft 4 in. in height.

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TABLE 64.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the CHEST MEASUREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January in each year from 1875 to 1891.

Years.	Proportion per 1,000 men.								
	Under 33 inches.	33 in. to 34 in.	34 in. to 35 in.	35 in. to 36 in.	36 in. to 37 in.	37 in. to 38 in.	38 in. to 39 in.	39 in. to 40 in.	40 in. and over.
1875	24	57	127	187	213	179	—	213	—
1876	22	47	116	172	220	191	—	232	—
1877	21	51	121	176	213	190	122	67	39
1878	21	48	120	180	213	186	125	66	41
1879	19	41	117	178	219	187	129	67	43
1880	18	34	107	178	225	193	133	69	43
1881	18	32	112	182	226	188	134	67	41
1882	17	28	112	179	226	192	134	69	43
1883	16	30	116	181	223	187	135	69	43
1884	20*	46*	131	180	215	180	126	63	39
1885	22	46	145	186	213	173	119	59	37
1886	20	49	151	201	217	168	110	52	32
1887	19	53	159	202	218	160	107	50	32
1888	19	46	156	204	227	163	105	48	32
1889	17	42	145	206	231	169	109	49	32
1890	19	49	155	205	229	162	106	46	29
1891	22	54	158	207	227	158	102	45	27

Years.	Abstract of the foregoing numbers.	
	Under 37 inches.	Over 37 inches.
1875	608	392
1876	577	423
1877	582	418
1878	582	418
1879	574	426
1880	562	438
1881	570	430
1882	562	438
1883	566	434
1884	592	408
1885	612	388
1886	638	362
1887	651	349
1888	652	348
1889	641	359
1890	657	343
1891	668	332

* On 27th April 1883 authority was given to enlist (specially) Recruits of a chest measurement of from 33 to 34 inches.

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TABLE 65.—NATIONALITIES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1891.

Corps.	English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Born in India or the Colonies.	Foreigners.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1,011	119	67	10	2	—	1,209
Cavalry of the Line	14,090	1,121	1,336	187	6	67	16,807
Royal Artillery	25,937	2,181	5,228	821	20	—	34,187
Royal Engineers	5,151	410	617	140	2	—	6,320
Foot Guards	4,487	535	213	36	5	1	5,277
Infantry of the Line	95,703	11,810	19,830	1,406	58	400	129,207
Colonial Corps	26	3	4	2,621	1	2	2,657
Army Service Corps	2,733	75	176	48	1	—	3,033
Ordnance Store Corps	632	24	36	17	1	—	710
Corps of Armourers	248	30	13	7	—	—	298
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	71	3	3	2	—	—	79
Medical Staff Corps	1,929	101	263	35	4	—	2,332
General Total	152,018	16,412	27,786	5,330	100	470	202,116
Proportion per 1,000 men exclusive of Colonial Corps	762	83	140	14	1	—	1,000

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TABLE 66.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1891.

Corps.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Mahommedans, Hindoos, &c.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1,051	107	21	—	30	—	—	1,209
Cavalry of the Line	13,105	1,132	834	86	1,583	—	67	16,807
Royal Artillery	23,819	2,233	2,101	346	5,688	—	—	34,187
Royal Engineers	4,441	475	617	144	643	—	—	6,320
Foot Guards	4,005	482	301	68	420	—	1	5,277
Infantry of the Line	84,220	10,464	6,018	441	27,664	—	400	129,207
Colonial Corps	1,190	49	376	149	452	439	2	2,657
Army Service Corps	2,326	88	240	65	314	—	—	3,033
Ordnance Store Corps	511	41	77	14	67	—	—	710
Corps of Armourers	224	30	18	14	12	—	—	298
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	49	4	22	2	2	—	—	79
Medical Staff Corps	1,754	104	148	54	272	—	—	2,332
Total	136,695	15,209	10,773	1,383	37,147	439	470	202,116
Proportion per 1,000 men exclusive of Colonial Corps	680	76	53	7	184	—	—	1,000

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TABLE 67.—EDUCATIONAL ACQUIREMENTS of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the 1st January 1891, showing the different arms of the service.

Corps.	Total Strength on the 1st January 1891.	Certificates in possession on the 1st January 1891.				Per-centage of Certificated to Strength.	Certificates gained in 1890.			
		1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Total.		1st Class.	2nd Class	3rd Class.	Total.
Household Cavalry - -	1,214	25	353	337	715	58·89	3	35	73	111
Cavalry of the Line - -	16,864	210	3,752	3,283	7,245	42·97	50	489	457	996
Royal Artillery - - -	34,276	533	7,331	5,913	13,777	40·19	137	1,143	1,547	2,827
Royal Engineers - -	6,400	141	2,091	1,662	3,894	60·84	26	286	283	595
Foot Guards - - -	5,291	46	1,014	1,172	2,232	42·18	14	211	512	737
Infantry of the Line -	129,555	1,009	22,445	21,074	44,528	34·37	262	3,378	4,895	8,535
Colonial Corps - - -	2,664	10	192	224	426	15·99	3	21	49	73
Army Service Corps -	3,153	168	951	564	1,683	53·38	24	154	161	339
Ordnance Store Corps -	784	80	378	151	609	77·68	7	33	12	52
Corps of Armourers -	298	10	50	43	103	34·56	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers -	80	4	7	—	11	13·75	1	1	—	2
Medical Staff Corps - -	2,360	120	965	280	1,365	57·84	28	68	61	157
Corps of Military Staff Clerks -	432	191	234	—	425	98·38	5	—	—	5
General Total - -	203,371	2,547	39,763	34,703	77,013	37·87	560	5,819	8,050	14,429
Proportion per 1,000 men exclusive of Colonial Corps - - -	—	12·64	197·16	171·79	381·59	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 68.—NATIONALITIES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men at various periods from 1872 to 1891, exclusive of the West India regiment and Colonial corps.

Period.	English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Born in India or the Colonies.	Foreigners, &c.	Not reported.	Total.	Proportion per 1,000 men.				
								English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Born in India or the Colonies.	Foreigners, &c.
1 Mar. 1872 -	117,701	15,885	44,092		Not reported.	3,293	180,971	663	89	248	—	—
1 Jan. 1873 -	120,134	15,254	42,284		679	1,032	179,383	674	85	237	—	4
1 Jan. 1874 -	118,848	14,507	41,124	Not reported.	650	972	176,101	679	83	235	—	3
1 Jan. 1875 -	119,246	13,915	40,626		584	1,646	176,017	684	80	233	—	3
1 Jan. 1876 -	118,701	13,813	39,360		571	1,305	173,750	689	80	228	—	3
1 Jan. 1877 -	123,457	14,190	39,977		622	1,561	179,817	693	80	224	—	3
1 Jan. 1878 -	124,708	14,235	39,121		690	1,421	180,175	698	80	219	—	3
1 Jan. 1879 -	121,421	13,914	36,871		706	8,962	181,874	703	80	213	—	4
1 Jan. 1880 -	122,774	14,446	38,359	1,770	297	4,093	181,739	691	81	216	10	2
1 Jan. 1881 -	123,135	14,415	36,872	2,113	215	2,270	179,020	697	81	209	12	1
1 Jan. 1882 -	124,434	13,723	36,945	2,065	238	2,049	179,454	701	78	208	12	1
1 Jan. 1883 -	128,531	14,516	36,297	2,124	208	1,672	183,348	707	80	200	12	1
1 Jan. 1884 -	123,191	13,432	31,694	2,140	155	674	171,286	722	79	186	12	1
1 Jan. 1885 -	128,021	13,720	31,133	2,272	157	3,506	178,809	730	78	178	13	1
1 Jan. 1886 -	138,032	15,495	31,573	2,266	152	3,234	190,752	739	81	167	12	1
1 Jan. 1887 -	146,171	16,446	32,153	2,262	155	1,020	198,207	741	83	163	12	1
1 Jan. 1888 -	149,123	17,082	31,335	2,435	156	512	200,643	745	85	157	12	1
1 Jan. 1889 -	150,030	16,834	30,297	2,504	134	518	200,317	751	84	152	12	1
1 Jan. 1890 -	151,289	16,534	28,712	2,584	129	225	199,473	759	83	145	12	1
1 Jan. 1891 -	151,992	16,409	27,782	2,709	99	468	199,459	762	83	140	14	1

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TABLE 69.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men at various periods from 1872 to 1891, exclusive of the West India regiment and Colonial corps.

Year.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Not reported.	Total.	Proportion per 1,000 men.					Year.
								Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	
1 January 1872 -	No returns compiled.												
1 January 1873 -	115,621	15,782	—	5,962	40,986	1,032	179,383	648	89	—	33	230	1873
1 January 1874 -	114,030	15,166	—	6,446	39,488	971	176,101	651	86	—	37	226	1874
1 January 1875 -	113,614	14,629	—	6,401	39,727	1,646	176,017	651	84	—	37	228	1875
1 January 1876 -	112,876	14,320	—	6,224	38,971	1,359	173,750	656	82	—	36	226	1876
1 January 1877 -	116,585	14,342	—	6,737	40,591	1,562	179,817	654	80	—	38	228	1877
1 January 1878 -	116,223	14,060	—	7,033	41,437	1,422	180,175	650	79	—	39	232	1878
1 January 1879 -	112,419	13,662	—	7,117	39,713	8,963	181,874	650	79	—	41	230	1879
1 January 1880 -	113,808	14,019	—	7,254	41,911	4,747	181,739	643	79	—	41	237	1880
1 January 1881 -	114,123	13,947	—	7,334	41,335	2,271	179,020	646	79	—	41	234	1881
1 January 1882 -	115,065	13,472	6,422	1,258	41,091	2,146	179,454	649	76	36	7	232	1882
1 January 1883 -	117,866	13,973	6,757	1,136	41,943	1,673	183,348	649	77	37	6	231	1883
1 January 1884 -	112,605	12,619	7,037	1,050	37,300	675	171,286	660	74	41	6	219	1884
1 January 1885 -	116,005	12,690	7,517	1,030	38,062	3,505	178,809	662	72	43	6	217	1885
1 January 1886 -	124,550	14,343	8,422	1,122	39,133	3,182	190,752	664	76	45	6	209	1886
1 January 1887 -	131,637	15,040	9,133	1,024	40,352	1,021	198,207	668	76	46	5	205	1887
1 January 1888 -	133,737	15,585	10,066	1,297	39,446	512	200,643	668	78	51	6	197	1888
1 January 1889 -	134,247	15,680	10,025	1,167	38,679	519	200,317	672	78	50	6	194	1889
1 January 1890 -	134,973	15,444	10,387	1,166	37,278	225	199,473	677	78	52	6	187	1890
1 January 1891 -	135,505	15,160	10,397	1,234	36,695	468	199,459	680	76	53	7	184	1891

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TABLE 70.—EDUCATIONAL ACQUIREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men at various periods from 1872 to 1891, exclusive of the West India regiment and Colonial corps.

Year.	Number who neither read nor write.	Number who can only read or write.	Number who can read and write.	Number of superior education.		Not reported.	Total.	Proportion per 1,000 men.					Year.
				Holding Certificates.	Not Holding Certificates.			Number who neither read nor write.	Number who can only read or write.	Number who can read and write.	Number of superior education. Holding Certificates.	Number of superior education. Not holding Certificates.	
1 January 1872	11,852	10,964	125,442	23,593		8,473	180,324	69	64	730	137		1872
1 January 1873	10,724	9,543	99,910	58,179		1,027	179,383	60	54	560	326		1873
1 January 1874	9,411	8,036	87,404	70,265		985	176,101	54	46	499	401		1874
1 January 1875	9,103	7,803	84,417	72,988		1,646	176,017	53	45	484	418		1875
1 January 1876	8,540	7,614	78,748	77,490		1,358	173,750	50	44	456	450		1876
1 January 1877	8,518	6,841	79,098	83,799		1,561	179,817	48	38	444	470		1877
1 January 1878	8,193	6,756	75,246	85,809		4,171	180,175	47	38	427	488		1878
1 January 1879	7,597	6,529	70,181	88,566		9,001	181,874	44	38	406	512		1879
1 January 1880	7,340	7,129	60,404	101,746		5,120	181,739	42	40	342	576		1880
1 January 1881	7,092	5,938	43,834	118,927		3,229	179,020	40	34	249	677		1881
1 January 1882	6,556	5,585	38,181	126,302		2,830	179,454	37	32	216	715		1882
1 January 1883	5,507	5,121	33,850	137,095		1,775	183,348	30	28	186	756		1883
1 January 1884	5,375	3,952	27,690	133,478		791	171,286	32	23	162	783		1884
1 January 1885	5,174	4,219	26,676	138,038		4,702	178,809	30	24	153	793		1885
1 January 1886	5,473	6,574	26,477	148,723		3,505	190,752	29	35	142	794		1886
1 January 1887	5,489	6,264	24,677	160,745		1,032	198,207	28	32	125	815		1887
1 January 1888	4,454	5,153	19,747	170,768		521	200,643	22	26	99	853		1888
1 January 1889	3,814	4,499	20,874	170,522		608	200,317	19	22	105	854		1889
1 January 1890		*61,563		76,388	*61,297	22	199,473		310		381	309	1890
1 January 1891†	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1891

N.B.—On the 1st January 1871 the heading of column 5 was changed to "Number of *better* education," and on the 1st January 1873 it was again altered, and now stands as follows, viz., "Number who are better educated, *i.e.*, all who are not included in foregoing columns."

* These numbers are only approximate, as under the provisions of General Order 198, of 1887, it is not compulsory for recruits to attend school, and accurate numbers under these headings are not therefore obtainable.

† *See* Table 67, for numbers reported by Director-General of Military Education for 1st January 1891.

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PART VIII.—TROOP, BATTERY, AND DRAUGHT HORSES AND MULES.

TABLE 71.—NUMBER of TROOP, BATTERY, and DRAUGHT HORSES and MULES in the different arms of the service on the 1st of each month during 1890, and the average strength during the year, distinguishing those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Months.	British Establishment.								Indian Establishment.				All Arms.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards and Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Total.	
1890.													
1st January - -	827	6,664	1,097	3,227	381	531	1,279	14,006	4,601	1,701	4,832	11,134	25,140
1st February -	828	6,781	1,101	3,224	383	531	1,273	14,121	4,583	1,694	4,829	11,106	25,227
1st March - -	827	6,931	1,101	3,257	383	528	1,286	14,313	4,588	1,705	4,849	11,142	25,455
1st April - -	816	7,075	1,105	3,264	384	525	1,289	14,458	4,523	1,697	4,813	11,033	25,491
1st May - -	823	7,098	1,100	3,274	384	528	1,277	14,484	4,604	1,703	4,729	11,036	25,520
1st June - -	825	7,064	1,099	3,258	384	528	1,285	14,443	4,546	1,671	4,665	10,882	25,325
1st July - -	821	6,974	1,094	3,254	384	528	1,288	14,343	4,514	1,644	4,641	10,799	25,142
1st August - -	808	6,930	1,101	3,228	384	529	1,290	14,270	4,507	1,667	4,637	10,811	25,081
1st September -	804	6,975	1,103	3,239	385	529	1,284	14,319	4,486	1,708	4,688	10,882	25,201
1st October - -	812	6,940	1,114	3,232	382	529	1,298	14,307	4,575	1,731	4,717	11,023	25,330
1st November -	781	6,978	1,050	3,218	381	528	1,294	14,230	4,552	1,729	4,809	11,090	25,320
1st December - -	792	7,055	1,044	3,173	367	511	1,281	14,223	4,545	1,744	4,838	11,127	25,350
Average during 1890	814	6,956	1,092	3,237	382	527	1,285	14,293	4,552	1,699	4,754	11,005	25,298

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TABLE 72.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH and DISTRIBUTION of the HORSES and MULES, according to the latest returns received on the 1st January 1891, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments and the number required to complete each arm of the service.

—	British Establishment.								Indian Establishment.				All Arms.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards and Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Total.	
At Home.													
England	805	4,044	908	2,552	315	158	991	9,773	—	—	—	—	9,773
Scotland	—	268	—	44	—	—	—	312	—	—	—	—	312
Ireland	—	2,246	140	431	47	80	275	3,219	—	—	—	—	3,219
	805	6,558	1,048	3,027	362	238	1,266	13,304	—	—	—	—	13,304
Egypt	—	132	—	—	—	121	—	253	—	—	—	—	253
In the Colonies.													
Cape of Good Hope and Natal	—	339	—	128	—	149	—	616	—	—	—	—	616
East Indies.													
Bengal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,124	1,103	2,649	6,876	6,876
Bombay	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	521	310	1,344	2,175	2,175
Madras	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,041	315	922	2,278	2,278
Staff	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	8	16	16
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,686	1,736	4,923	11,345	11,345
General Total	805	7,029	1,048	3,155	362	508	1,266	14,173	4,686	1,736	4,923	11,345	25,518
Establishment	825	7,006	1,118	3,296	380	513	1,294	14,432	4,734	1,958	4,620	11,312	25,744
Wanting to complete	20	—	70	141	18	5	28	259	48	222	—	33	774
Supernumerary	—	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	303	—	—

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TABLE 73.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the HORSES and MULES of each arm of the service on the British Establishment reported during the year 1890.

Corps.	Effectives on the 1st January 1890.	Increase.			Decrease.					Effectives on the 1st January 1891.
		Purchased.	Other causes.	Total.	Dead.	Cast.	Sold to Officers.	Other causes.	Total.	
Household Cavalry -	827	—	105	105	19	106	1	1	127	805
Cavalry of the Line -	6,664	1,875	—	1,875	140	676	16	678	1,510	7,029
Royal Horse Artillery -	1,097	—	115	115	22	113	—	29	164	1,048
Royal Artillery -	3,227	—	381	381	77	357	—	19	453	3,155
Royal Engineers -	381	—	14	14	8	22	—	3	33	362
Infantry of the Line and Foot Guards	531	—	16	16	8	23	—	8	39	508
Army Service Corps -	1,279	—	102	102	25	89	1	—	115	1,266
Total -	14,006	1,875	733	2,608	299	1,386	18	738	2,441	14,173

TABLE 74.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the HORSES and MULES on the British Establishment reported during each month of the year 1890.

Months.	Effectives on the 1st day of each month.	Increase.			Decrease.				
		Purchased.	Other causes.	Total Increase.	Dead.	Cast.	Sold to Officers.	Other causes.	Total Decrease.
January - -	14,006	199	—	199	21	62	1	—	84
February - -	14,121	245	—	245	22	31	—	—	53
March - -	14,313	210	6	216	27	44	—	—	71
April - - -	14,458	111	—	111	28	47	2	8	85
May - - -	14,484	101	—	101	30	106	4	2	142
June - - -	14,443	56	7	63	28	131	4	—	163
July - - -	14,343	130	—	130	23	171	—	9	203
August - -	14,270	155	15	170	27	92	2	—	121
September - -	14,319	68	—	68	22	55	—	3	80
October - - -	14,307	272	—	272	30	318	—	1	349
November - -	14,230	241	—	241	21	221	1	5	248
December - -	14,223	87	—	87	20	108	4	5	137
Total - -	—	1,875	28	1,903	299	1,386	18	33	1,736

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TABLE 75.—AGES of the HORSES and MULES in each arm of the service on the 1st January 1891, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Corps.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry - -	159	361	196	89	—	805	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cavalry of the Line - -	1,008	2,958	2,058	842	163	7,029	202	1,957	1,840	674	13	4,686
Royal Artillery - - -	240	1,470	1,574	919	—	4,203	152	2,673	2,778	1,056	—	6,659
Royal Engineers - - -	5	162	120	66	9	362	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line and Foot Guards	—	155	152	74	127	508	—	—	—	—	—	—
Army Service Corps - - -	44	486	401	335	—	1,266	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total - -	1,456	5,592	4,501	2,325	299	14,173	354	4,630	4,618	1,730	13	11,345

TABLE 76.—SIZES of the HORSES and MULES in each arm of the service on the 1st January 1891, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Corps.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	14½ hands and under.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands and over.	Not reported.	Total.	14½ hands.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands and over.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry - -	—	3	395	407	—	805	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cavalry of the Line - -	87	1,118	4,390	1,271	163	7,029	559	1,628	2,071	415	13	4,686
Royal Artillery - - -	169	239	2,136	1,659	—	4,203	498	2,429	2,750	982	—	6,659
Royal Engineers - - -	—	20	186	147	9	362	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line and Foot Guards	154	111	91	25	127	508	—	—	—	—	—	—
Army Service Corps - -	14	132	665	455	—	1,266	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total - -	424	1,623	7,863	3,964	299	14,173	1,057	4,057	4,821	1,397	13	11,345

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TABLE 77.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the HORSES and MULES in each arm of the service, according to the latest returns received on the 1st January in each year from 1872 to 1891, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Year.	British Establishment.									Indian Establishment.				All Arms.	Year.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards and Infantry of the Line.	Military Train and Army Service Corps.	Colonial Corps.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Total.		
1872	854	6,747	1,883	3,587	413	—	1,082	—	14,566	3,809	2,596	4,653	11,058	25,624	1872
1873	838	6,745	1,909	3,924	410	—	1,098	—	14,924	3,404	2,480	4,609	10,493	25,417	1873
1874	824	6,708	1,850	4,005	413	—	1,086	—	14,886	3,313	2,596	4,704	10,613	25,499	1874
1875	839	6,621	1,901	3,975	418	—	1,073	—	14,827	3,328	2,564	4,613	10,505	25,332	1875
1876	837	6,777	1,793	4,080	420	—	1,060	—	14,967	3,418	2,610	4,716	10,744	25,711	1876
1877	845	6,843	1,794	4,169	416	—	1,076	—	15,143	3,218	2,574	4,703	10,495	25,638	1877
1878	848	6,866	1,895	4,166	431	—	1,083	—	15,289	3,410	2,605	4,739	10,754	26,043	1878
1879	853	6,862	1,853	4,113	450	127	1,130	—	15,388	3,402	2,703	4,725	10,830	26,218	1879
1880	845	7,071	1,794	3,365	283	—	1,193	—	14,551	3,798	2,534	4,896	11,228	25,779	1880
1881	846	6,544	1,798	3,300	310	—	1,030	—	13,828	3,468	2,463	4,603	10,534	24,362	1881
1882	840	6,396	1,567	3,115	266	—	955	—	13,139	3,564	2,444	4,506	10,514	23,653	1882
1883	816	6,206	1,484	3,260	360	386	1,950	—	14,462	3,459	1,795	4,585	9,839	24,301	1883
1884	828	6,334	1,463	3,248	257	398	1,113	—	13,641	3,467	1,757	4,417	9,641	23,282	1884
1885	826	6,592	1,396	3,264	216	721	1,064	—	14,079	3,520	1,764	4,395	9,679	23,758	1885
1886	826	6,788	1,399	3,221	263	412	1,161	—	14,070	3,060	1,674	4,657	9,391	23,461	1886
1887	835	6,839	1,365	3,199	307	470	1,156	—	14,171	3,383	1,793	4,895	10,071	24,242	1887
1888	821	6,590	1,086	3,291	354	530	1,255	—	13,927	4,303	1,803	4,889	10,995	24,922	1888
1889	811	6,794	1,106	3,220	384	618	1,266	—	14,199	4,514	1,723	4,793	11,030	25,229	1889
1890	827	6,664	1,097	3,227	381	531	1,279	—	14,006	4,601	1,701	4,832	11,134	25,140	1890
1891	805	7,029	1,048	3,155	362	508	1,266	—	14,173	4,686	1,736	4,923	11,345	25,518	1891

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TABLE 78.—INCREASE and DECREASE of HORSES and MULES on the British Establishment in each year from 1871 to 1890.

Year.	Effectives on the 1st January in each year.	Increase.			Decrease.					Nett Increase.	Nett Decrease.	Effectives on the 31st December in each year.
		Purchased.	Other causes.	Total Increase.	Dead.	Cast and Sold.	Sold to Officers.	Other causes.	Total Decrease.			
1871	12,930	2,976	42	3,018	364	979	39	—	1,382	1,636	—	14,566
1872	14,566	1,864	24	1,888	369	1,116	45	—	1,530	358	—	14,924
1873	14,924	1,301	13	1,314	301	1,027	24	—	1,352	—	38	14,886
1874	14,886	1,295	10	1,305	313	1,018	33	—	1,364	—	59	14,827
1875	14,827	1,549	12	1,561	295	1,081	45	—	1,421	140	—	14,967
1876	14,967	1,516	14	1,530	263	1,055	36	—	1,354	176	—	15,143
1877	15,143	1,572	—	1,572	255	1,139	29	3	1,426	146	—	15,289
1878	15,289	2,944	—	2,944	410	2,389	28	18	2,845	99	—	15,388
1879	15,388	2,000	—	2,000	605	2,189	23	20	2,837	—	837	14,551
1880	14,551	1,781	27	1,808	499	2,019	13	—	2,531	—	723	13,828
1881	13,828	1,528	—	1,528	717	1,419	14	67	2,217	—	689	13,139
1882	13,139	4,817	41	4,858	1,487	2,012	36	—	3,535	1,323	—	14,462
1883	14,462	2,343	—	2,343	519	2,365	22	258*	3,164	—	821	13,641
1884	13,641	2,329	204	2,533	324	1,740	31	—	2,095	438	—	14,079
1885	14,079	2,061	106	2,167	429	1,715	32	—	2,176	—	9	14,070
1886	14,070	1,844	98	1,942	336	1,474	31	—	1,841	101	—	14,171
1887	14,171	2,109	—	2,109	389	1,790	36	138	2,353	—	244	13,927
1888	13,927	1,708	2	1,710	316	1,100	22	—	1,438	272	—	14,199
1889	14,199	1,774	12	1,786	315	1,641	23	—	1,979	—	193	14,006
1890	14,006	1,875	—	1,875	299	1,386	18	5	1,708	167	—	14,173

* Including 234 to mounted infantry and local transport in Egypt.

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TABLE 79.—AGES of the HORSES and MULES on the British and Indian Establishments on the 1st January in each year from 1874 to 1891.

Year.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.
1874	1,831	7,308	3,518	2,229	—	14,886	507	4,190	4,367	1,536	13	10,613
1875	1,627	6,842	3,978	2,380	—	14,827	476	4,211	4,140	1,780	—	10,607
1876	1,880	5,195	5,378	2,493	21	14,967	266	4,026	4,258	2,140	—	10,690
1877	2,007	4,954	5,772	2,394	16	15,143	325	3,874	4,063	2,273	—	10,535
1878	2,024	5,446	5,529	2,290	—	15,289	255	3,577	4,694	2,283	—	10,809
1879	970	5,997	5,135	3,273	13	15,388	223	3,560	3,979	3,073	—	10,835
1880	1,538	5,135	3,669	3,533	676	14,551	317	3,952	3,950	2,795	—	11,014
1881	1,315	5,273	3,334	3,689	217	13,828	332	4,272	3,654	2,362	—	10,620
1882	920	4,933	3,444	3,718	146	13,161	218	3,939	3,835	2,381	141	10,514
1883	1,572	5,898	3,579	2,973	440	14,462	205	3,353	4,046	2,303	—	9,907
1884	1,675	6,145	3,319	2,098	404	13,641	315	3,120	4,137	2,069	—	9,641
1885	1,428	6,313	3,584	1,681	1,073	14,079	443	2,976	4,104	2,156	—	9,679
1886	1,486	6,196	3,926	1,527	935	14,070	412	3,313	3,407	2,152	107	9,391
1887	1,844	5,737	4,351	1,692	547	14,171	559	4,292	3,103	2,215	451	10,620
1888	1,522	5,511	4,851	1,731	312	13,927	411	5,303	3,004	2,336	—	11,054
1889	1,676	5,604	5,005	1,811	118	14,214	393	5,247	3,242	2,153	—	11,035
1890	1,437	5,584	4,794	1,972	219	14,006	332	5,437	3,490	1,838	37	11,134
1891	1,456	5,592	4,501	2,325	299	14,173	354	4,630	4,618	1,730	13	11,345

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TABLE 80.—SIZES of the HORSES and MULES on the British and Indian Establishments on the 1st January in each year from 1874 to 1891.

Year.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	14½ hands and under.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands.	Not reported.	Total.	14½ hands.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands.	Not reported.	Total.
1874	73	3,702	9,138	1,973	—	14,886	3,868	4,094	2,267	371	13	10,613
1875	44	3,645	9,238	1,900	—	14,827	4,154	4,099	2,070	284	—	10,607
1876	26	2,854	9,869	2,197	21	14,967	3,896	4,191	2,342	261	—	10,690
1877	52	2,923	10,111	2,041	16	15,143	4,053	3,894	2,354	234	—	10,535
1878	41	3,172	10,024	2,052	—	15,289	3,982	4,207	2,365	255	—	10,809
1879	56	2,818	10,147	2,354	13	15,388	3,789	4,312	2,414	320	—	10,835
1880	80	2,749	9,153	1,893	676	14,551	3,730	4,506	2,538	240	—	11,014
1881	152	3,018	8,528	1,913	217	13,828	2,910	4,596	2,801	313	—	10,620
1882	196	2,593	8,223	2,033	116	13,161	3,040	4,269	2,767	297	141	10,514
1883	425	2,620	8,933	2,044	440	14,462	2,652	4,350	2,594	311	—	9,907
1884	84	2,816	8,526	1,811	404	13,641	2,483	4,415	2,492	251	—	9,641
1885	218	2,199	8,594	1,995	1,073	14,079	2,131	4,373	2,917	258	—	9,679
1886	437	2,641	8,350	1,725	917	14,070	2,094	4,105	2,798	287	107	9,391
1887	499	2,428	8,816	1,881	547	14,171	1,673	4,566	3,401	529	451	10,620
1888	459	2,626	8,732	1,817	293	13,927	1,808	4,796	4,000	450	—	11,054
1889	574	1,820	7,455	4,249	116	14,214	966	4,715	4,214	1,140	—	11,035
1890	484	1,917	7,583	3,804	218	14,006	890	3,833	5,329	1,045	37	11,134
1891	424	1,623	7,863	3,964	299	14,173	1,057	4,057	4,821	1,397	13	11,345

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PART IX.—AUXILIARY AND RESERVE FORCES.

TABLE 81.—GENERAL ANNUAL RETURN of the RESERVE and AUXILIARY FORCES for the year 1890, showing the different branches of the service.

Corps.	Date.	ALL RANKS.			
		Total Enrolled.	Establishment.	Wanting to complete.	Supernumerary.
Army Reserve { Class I.	1st January 1891	59,280	*62,500	3,220	—
Army Reserve { Class II.	1st January 1891	953	*1,250	297	—
Militia	Dates of Inspections 1890	113,163	135,722	22,559	—
Yeomanry	Dates of Inspections 1890	10,697	14,086	3,389	—
Volunteers	1st November 1890	221,048	260,310	39,262	—
	General Total	405,141	473,868	68,727	—
Militia Reserve (included with Militia)	Dates of Inspections 1890	31,223	*30,000	—	1,223

* Numbers voted in Army Estimates, 1890–91.

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TABLE 82.—STRENGTH of the ARMY RESERVE, showing the composition of the force on the first day of each month during 1890.

Month.	1st Class.		2nd Class.				Total Army Reserve	Detail of Class I.													
	Reserve of 1870.	Reserve of 1882.	Reserve of 1867.	Reserve of 1859.	Enrolled Pensioners.	Total.		Cavalry.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	King's Royal Rifle Corps.	Rifle Brigade.	Royal Malta Artillery.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	Total.
1st January -	48,965	5,171	190	105	1,651	1,946	56,082	3,781	4,898	1,315	3,166	35,864	876	1,079	89	1,817	157	983	111	54,136
1st February -	48,899	5,340	190	105	1,631	1,926	56,165	3,804	4,956	1,336	3,192	35,845	882	1,082	92	1,814	155	972	109	54,239
1st March -	50,089	5,478	189	105	1,624	1,918	57,485	3,915	5,225	1,312	3,237	36,666	887	1,146	97	1,836	158	978	110	55,567
1st April - -	51,535	5,635	182	105	1,214	1,501	58,671	3,987	5,351	1,350	3,284	37,915	909	1,128	100	1,857	159	1,020	110	57,170
1st May - -	51,975	5,804	174	105	856	1,135	58,914	4,052	5,500	1,375	3,329	38,179	945	1,121	104	1,888	156	1,019	111	57,779
1st June - -	51,835	6,017	160	99	849	1,109	58,961	4,021	5,565	1,372	3,369	38,189	934	1,116	108	1,899	157	1,012	110	57,852
1st July - -	51,452	6,175	146	101	857	1,104	58,731	3,960	5,571	1,348	3,453	37,913	940	1,135	111	1,930	162	993	111	57,627
1st August -	50,832	6,336	131	94	849	1,074	58,242	3,878	5,581	1,290	3,506	37,511	935	1,178	114	1,915	165	989	106	57,168
1st September -	50,544	6,520	108	93	845	1,046	58,210	3,915	5,616	1,264	3,569	37,332	934	1,212	114	1,944	163	991	110	57,164
1st October -	50,540	6,640	95	89	841	1,025	58,205	3,954	5,645	1,296	3,595	37,157	942	1,226	118	1,970	162	1,005	110	57,180
1st November -	49,893	6,812	86	89	833	1,008	57,713	3,954	5,580	1,331	3,647	36,601	955	1,237	119	1,993	162	1,015	111	56,705
1st December -	51,237	6,996	83	87	813	983	59,216	4,162	5,695	1,363	3,708	37,486	1,100	1,261	120	2,018	177	1,032	111	58,233

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TABLE 83.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the ARMY RESERVE reported during each Month of the year 1890.

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TABLE 83.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the ARMY

	1st CLASS.												
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
Effectives on 1st of Month.	54,136	54,239	55,567	57,170	57,779	57,852	57,627	57,168	57,164	57,180	56,705	58,233	1 Jan. 1891. 59,280
Increase—													
Transfers from the Colours	1,109	1,978	2,226	1,350	872	579	586	682	498	619	2,119	1,518	14,136
Enrolled in Section "D"	209	172	186	203	241	208	218	226	149	220	221	131	2,384
Rejoined from Absence	19	22	34	22	20	22	20	18	11	18	25	17	248
Other causes	—	5	1	1	—	—	1	—	3	—	1	2	14
Total Increase	1,337	2,177	2,447	1,576	1,133	809	825	926	661	857	2,366	1,668	16,782
Decrease—													
Dead	50	50	31	36	47	31	33	31	32	44	25	31	441
Discharged. After 21 years' service	—	1	—	—	1	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	6
Discharged. On completion of engagement	911	742	773	746	980	976	1,013	866	603	829	771	575	9,785
Discharged. As Invalids	2	2	2	4	—	3	2	2	2	3	—	1	23
Discharged. By Purchase	3	—	1	1	5	1	1	2	—	—	—	1	15
Discharged. Free by Indulgence	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2
Discharged. For Misconduct	10	5	12	5	2	7	9	3	3	5	8	6	75
Discharged. Miscellaneous	3	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
	929	750	789	757	988	990	1,026	873	609	837	779	583	9,910
Transfers to the Colours	—	1	6	2	4	2	2	1	1	2	—	3	24
Enrolled Pensioners struck off as over age under Para. 8, G.O. 79 of 1885	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Struck off for Absence	250	48	18	172	20	11	223	22	3	449	34	4	1,254
Other causes	5	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	9
Total Decrease	1,234	849	844	967	1,060	1,034	1,284	930	645	1,332	838	621	11,638
Net Increase	103	1,328	1,603	609	73	—	—	—	16	—	1,528	1,047	5,144
Net Decrease	—	—	—	—	—	225	459	4	—	475	—	—	—

* Not accounted for since the re-arrangement

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RESERVE reported during each Month of the year 1890.

2ND CLASS.												
Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
1,946	1,926	1,918	1,501	1,135	1,109	1,104	1,074	1,046	1,025	1,008	984	1Jan. 1891. 953
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	1	—	—	13	1	1	1	—	—	2	19
—	—	1	—	—	13	1	1	1	—	—	2	19
3	—	5	1	2	1	—	1	2	—	—	—	15
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	2	6	6	8	17	30	28	20	17	20	33	187
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	2	6	6	8	17	30	28	20	17	20	33	187
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15	6	402	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	434
—	—	5	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	4	—	11
2	—	—	347*	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	365
20	8	418	366	26	18	31	29	22	17	24	33	1,012
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20	8	417	366	26	5	30	28	21	17	24	31	993

of Pension Districts during November 1889.

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TABLE 84.—AGES of the MEN composing the ARMY RESERVE on the 1st January 1891.

	Under 30 years of age.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not Reported.	Total.
CLASS I.						
Cavalry of the Line	2,753	1,377	73	8	—	4,211
Royal Artillery	3,206	1,870	494	189	—	5,759
Royal Engineers	920	388	71	4	—	1,383
Foot Guards	2,725	935	86	—	—	3,746
Infantry of the Line	22,638	15,638	2,239	104	60	40,679
Army Service Corps	1,619	383	51	3	—	2,056
Royal Malta Artillery	104	14	2	—	—	120
Ordnance Store Corps	131	43	2	—	—	176
Medical Staff Corps	692	288	59	—	—	1,039
Army Post Office Corps	107	4	—	—	—	111
Total Class I.	34,895	20,940	3,077	308	60	59,250
Class II. of 1867	—	—	—	76	—	76
Reserve of 1859	—	—	—	85	—	85
Enrolled Pensioners	—	2	11	779	—	792
Total Class II.	—	2	11	940	—	953

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TABLE 85.—YEARS in which the services of the Men composing the First Class Army Reserve on the 1st January 1891 will expire.

—	During 1891.	During 1892.	During 1893.	During 1894.	During 1895.	During 1896.	During 1897.	During 1898.	During 1899.	During 1900.	During 1901.	Total.
Cavalry of the Line - -	841	620	515	863	1,011	276	72	9	3	1	—	4,211
Royal Artillery - - -	656	1,047	1,152	1,585	970	65	64	133	57	30	—	5,759
Royal Engineers - - -	79	160	138	274	226	218	128	37	123	—	—	1,383
Foot Guards - - - -	381	443	347	354	814	381	284	335	407	—	—	3,746
Infantry of the Line - - -	7,494	8,173	10,527	8,995	4,693	599	168	20	8	—	2	40,679
Army Service Corps - - -	142	157	138	326	192	343	269	294	194	1	—	2,056
Royal Malta Artillery - - -	8	6	9	24	15	39	19	—	—	—	—	120
Ordnance Store Corps - - -	19	25	21	34	28	22	24	2	1	—	—	176
Medical Staff Corps - - -	118	134	73	101	138	161	136	129	49	—	—	1,039
Army Post Office Corps - -	4	4	3	68	14	18	—	—	—	—	—	111
Total, All Arms - - -	9,742	10,769	12,923	12,624	8,101	2,122	1,164	959	842	32	2	59,280

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TABLE 86.—GENERAL STATE of the MILITIA (including the Militia Reserve) at the dates of the annual inspections of the several regiments in the year 1890.

	By Ranks.							By Countries.				By Arms.			
	Officers.	Permanent Staff.		Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Total.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	Total.
		Sergeants.	Drummers.												
Present at training	3,191	3,256	1,183	2,139	4,243	85,616	99,628	66,000	11,662	21,966	99,628	13,784	1,640	84,204	99,628
Absent from inspection — With leave	343	35	4	87	160	4,258	4,887	3,277	796	814	4,887	575	97	4,215	4,887
Absent from inspection — Without leave	10	—	1	56	156	8,425	8,648	5,937	1,163	1,548	8,648	1,189	139	7,320	8,648
Number enrolled	3,544	3,291	1,188	2,282	4,559	98,299	113,163	75,214	13,621	24,328	113,163	15,548	1,876	95,739	113,163
Establishment, as laid down in Army Orders of 1890	3,832	3,128	1,227	2,487	4,960	120,088	135,722	89,987	15,720	30,015	135,722	19,221	2,614	113,887	135,722
Wanting to complete	288	—	39	205	401	21,789	22,559	14,773	2,099	5,687	22,559	3,673	738	18,148	22,559
Supernumerary	—	163*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Paymaster Sergeants and Orderly-room Sergeants since absorbed, or transferred to Depôts of Regiments of the Regular Army.

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TABLE 87.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the MILITIA (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) between 1st January 1890 and 1st January 1891, by Countries and by Arms.

	Countries.			Arms.			Total.
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	
Number enrolled 1st January 1890	70,117	11,976	21,592	13,624	1,610	88,451	103,685
Enlisted	27,210	3,983	4,441	3,237	800	31,597	35,634
Re-enlisted	1,758	232	523	403	14	2,096	2,513
Rejoined from Desertion	607	116	202	145	13	767	925
Other causes (net)	—	—	—	123	20	—	—
Total Increase	29,575	4,331	5,166	3,908	847	34,460	39,072
Dead	310	50	88	80	4	364	448
Discharged	14,084	1,964	2,259	1,997	373	15,937	18,307
Deserted, and Absentees struck off	6,200	1,210	1,493	1,174	183	7,546	8,903
To Regular Army	10,205	909	1,548	790	169	11,703	12,662
To Royal Navy and Royal Marines	426	10	9	24	32	389	445
Other causes (net)	142	8	22	—	—	315	172
Total Decrease	31,367	4,151	5,419	4,065	761	36,254	40,937
Net Increase	—	180	—	—	86	—	—
Net Decrease	1,792	—	253	157	—	1,794	1,865
Number enrolled 1st January 1891	68,325	12,156	21,339	13,467	1,696	86,657	101,820

N.B.—The figures in this table represent the increase and decrease of the Militia as reported *in the returns received month by month* during 1890, and do not in every case correspond with the actual number of recruits and casualties during the year as shown in tables 97 and 101.

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TABLE 88.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the MILITIA RESERVE between 1st January 1890 and 1st January 1891, by Countries and by Arms.

	Countries.			Arms.			Total.
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	
Number enrolled on 1st January 1890	19,600	3,494	7,067	5,350	332	24,479	30,161
Enlisted	3,760	707	1,242	911	105	4,693	5,709
Re-enlisted	14	—	1	1	—	14	15
Other causes (net)	—	3	—	10	6	—	—
Total Increase	3,774	710	1,243	922	111	4,707	5,724
Dead	87	12	27	21	1	104	126
Discharged	2,790	462	780	674	48	3,310	4,032
Deserted, and Absentees struck off	628	140	363	248	16	867	1,131
To Regular Army	203	18	81	34	7	261	302
To Royal Navy and Royal Marines	18	—	—	1	—	17	18
Other causes (net)	5	—	29	—	—	47	31
Total Decrease	3,731	632	1,280	978	72	4,606	5,640
Net Increase	43	78	—	—	39	101	84
Net Decrease	—	—	37	56	—	—	—
Number enrolled on 1st January 1891	19,643	3,572	7,030	5,294	371	24,580	30,245

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TABLE 89.—ENROLLED STRENGTH of the MILITIA (exclusive of Officers and Permanent Staff) on the 1st of each month during 1890, and the average strength during the year.

Months.	Enrolled Strength (exclusive of Officers and Permanent Staff).			
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Total.
January - - -	70,117	11,976	21,592	103,685
February - - -	70,813	12,185	21,811	104,809
March - -	71,160	12,303	21,997	105,460
April - - -	71,443	12,717	22,460	106,620
May - - -	71,751	12,909	22,981	107,641
June - - -	71,121	13,042	23,002	107,165
July - - -	68,932	12,827	22,446	104,205
August - - -	67,137	12,256	21,581	100,974
September - -	65,680	11,822	20,961	98,463
October - - -	66,084	11,812	20,960	98,856
November - -	66,874	11,927	21,093	99,894
December - - -	67,841	12,068	21,262	101,171
Average during 1890 -	69,080	12,320	21,846	103,246

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TABLE 90.—AGES of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN serving in the MILITIA (including the Permanent Staff) on 1st January 1891.

Arm.	Country.	Ages.								Total.
		Under 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	Over 35 years.	
Artillery	England	69	283	441	470	1,428	1,320	1,305	1,315	6,631
	Scotland	19	59	103	120	491	623	495	439	2,349
	Ireland	55	101	273	363	1,362	1,062	1,050	907	5,173
	Total	143	443	817	953	3,281	3,005	2,850	2,661	14,153
Engineers	England	19	72	136	178	498	427	248	202	1,780
Infantry	England	588	4,792	8,233	7,744	16,072	10,436	8,151	6,652	62,668
	Scotland	74	491	1,398	1,131	2,443	1,978	1,549	1,244	10,308
	Ireland	170	1,131	1,953	1,728	4,328	2,892	2,542	2,378	17,122
	Total	832	6,414	11,584	10,603	22,843	15,306	12,242	10,274	90,098
All Arms	England	676	5,147	8,810	8,392	17,998	12,183	9,704	8,169	71,079
	Scotland	93	550	1,501	1,251	2,934	2,601	2,044	1,683	12,657
	Ireland	225	1,232	2,226	2,091	5,690	3,954	3,592	3,285	22,295
	Total	994	6,929	12,537	11,734	26,622	18,738	15,340	13,137	106,031
Militia Reserve (included above)	Artillery	—	—	—	153	1,455	1,826	1,537	323	5,294
	Engineers	—	—	—	7	94	155	97	18	371
	Infantry	—	—	—	1,175	7,700	7,910	6,512	1,283	24,580
Total		—	—	—	1,335	9,249	9,891	8,146	1,624	30,245

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TABLE 91.—HEIGHTS of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA enrolled at dates of Inspections of the several Regiments during the year 1890.

Arm.	Country.	Under 5 ft. 5 in.	5 ft. 5 in. to 5 ft. 6 in.	5 ft. 6 in. to 5 ft. 7 in.	5 ft. 7 in. to 5 ft. 8 in.	5 ft. 8 in. to 5 ft. 9 in.	5 ft. 9 in. to 5 ft. 10 in.	5 ft. 10 in. to 5 ft. 11 in.	5 ft. 11 in. to 6 feet.	6 ft. and upwards.	Total.
Artillery	England	92	655	1,871	1,538	1,131	679	390	161	90	6,607
	Scotland	24	69	733	584	498	297	132	54	32	2,423
	Ireland	66	177	1,288	1,128	1,023	784	422	226	124	5,238
	Total	182	901	3,892	3,250	2,652	1,760	944	441	246	14,268
Engineers	England	277	450	354	263	176	100	56	24	16	1,716
Infantry	England	17,548	13,413	11,131	7,711	5,124	3,084	1,696	754	285	60,746
	Scotland	3,033	2,007	1,703	1,356	1,033	600	316	161	60	10,269
	Ireland	3,383	3,227	3,222	2,505	2,007	1,399	903	474	172	17,292
	Total	23,964	18,647	16,056	11,572	8,164	5,083	2,915	1,389	517	88,307
All Arms	England	17,917	14,518	13,356	9,512	6,431	3,863	2,142	939	391	69,069
	Scotland	3,057	2,076	2,436	1,940	1,531	897	448	215	92	12,692
	Ireland	3,449	3,404	4,510	3,633	3,030	2,183	1,325	700	296	22,530
	Total	24,423	19,998	20,302	15,085	10,992	6,943	3,915	1,854	779	104,291

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TABLE 92.—NATIONALITIES of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (inclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA on the 1st January 1891.

Arm.	Country.	English.			Scotch.			Irish.			Total.
		Born in County in which Corps is localised.	Born in other Counties.	Total.	Born in County in which Corps is localised.	Born in other Counties.	Total.	Born in County in which Corps is localised.	Born in other Counties.	Total.	
Artillery	England	4,728	1,340	6,068	—	109	109	—	454	454	6,631
	Scotland	—	139	139	1,618	402	2,020	—	190	190	2,349
	Ireland	—	175	175	—	17	17	3,689	1,292	4,981	5,173
	Total	4,728	1,654	6,382	1,618	528	2,146	3,689	1,936	5,625	14,153
Engineers	England	1,087	617	1,704	—	29	29	—	47	47	1,780
Infantry	England	46,112	11,741	57,853	—	555	555	—	4,260	4,260	62,668
	Scotland	—	415	415	6,612	2,491	9,103	—	790	790	10,308
	Ireland	—	311	311	—	73	73	13,518	3,220	16,738	17,122
	Total	46,112	12,467	58,579	6,612	3,119	9,731	13,518	8,270	21,788	90,098
All Arms	England	51,927	13,698	65,625	—	693	693	—	4,761	4,761	71,079
	Scotland	—	554	554	8,230	2,893	11,123	—	980	980	12,657
	Ireland	—	486	486	—	90	90	17,207	4,512	21,719	22,295
	Tota.	51,927	14,738	66,665	8,230	3,676	11,906	17,207	10,253	27,460	106,031

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TABLE 93.—TRADES of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA enrolled at the dates of the Annual Inspections of the several Regiments during the year 1890.

Arm.	Country.	Artisans.	Mechanical Labourers.	Agricultural Labourers.	Miners.	Fishermen.	All Others.	Total.
Artillery	England	848	1,429	1,358	524	310	2,138	6,607
	Scotland	389	529	383	409	97	616	2,423
	Ireland	519	777	3,003	72	164	703	5,238
	Total	1,756	2,735	4,744	1,005	571	3,457	14,268
Engineers	England	304	324	262	297	264	265	1,716
Infantry	England	9,096	14,984	15,698	6,231	897	13,840	60,746
	Scotland	1,962	2,413	1,667	1,076	1,224	1,927	10,269
	Ireland	1,552	2,238	10,687	159	231	2,425	17,292
	Total	12,610	19,635	28,052	7,466	2,352	18,192	88,307
All Arms	England	10,248	16,737	17,318	7,052	1,471	16,243	69,069
	Scotland	2,351	2,942	2,050	1,485	1,321	2,543	12,692
	Ireland	2,071	3,015	13,690	231	395	3,128	22,530
	Total	14,670	22,694	33,058	8,768	3,187	21,914	104,291

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TABLE 94.—RELIGIOUS PERSUASIONS of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (inclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA on the 1st January 1891.

Arm.	Country.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants, &c. not included in the foregoing.	Roman Catholics.	Total.
Artillery	England	4,489	88	466	307	1,281	6,631
	Scotland	204	1,346	12	1	786	2,349
	Ireland	847	239	16	11	4,060	5,173
	Total	5,540	1,673	494	319	6,127	14,153
Engineers	England	1,122	25	205	49	379	1,780
Infantry	England	44,970	364	3,140	544	13,650	62,668
	Scotland	586	6,211	7	1	3,503	10,308
	Ireland	2,438	576	20	2	14,086	17,122
	Total	47,994	7,151	3,167	547	31,239	90,098
All Arms	England	50,581	477	3,811	900	15,310	71,079
	Scotland	790	7,557	19	2	4,289	12,657
	Ireland	3,285	815	36	13	18,146	22,295
	Total	54,656	8,849	3,866	915	37,745	106,031

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TABLE 95.—YEARS in which the Terms of Service of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA enrolled on 1st January 1891 will expire.

Arm.	Country.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	Total.
Artillery	England	608	1,144	1,185	1,233	1,013	1,136	—	6,319
	Scotland	218	463	470	433	341	308	—	2,233
	Ireland	441	788	1,048	1,074	826	736	2	4,915
	Total	1,267	2,395	2,703	2,740	2,180	2,180	2	13,467
Engineers	England	70	160	234	282	421	529	—	1,696
Infantry	England	6,552	8,852	9,506	11,215	10,113	14,071	1	60,310
	Scotland	847	1,418	1,644	1,917	1,724	2,368	5	9,923
	Ireland	1,702	2,589	3,445	3,562	2,647	2,479	—	16,424
	Total	9,101	12,859	14,595	16,694	14,484	18,918	6	86,657
All Arms	England	7,230	10,156	10,925	12,730	11,547	15,736	1	68,325
	Scotland	1,065	1,881	2,114	2,350	2,065	2,676	5	12,156
	Ireland	2,143	3,377	4,493	4,636	3,473	3,215	2	21,339
	Total	10,438	15,414	17,532	19,716	17,085	21,627	8	101,820

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TABLE 96.—AGES of the RECRUITS who joined the MILITIA during the year 1890.

Arm.	Country.	Ages of Recruits joined.											
		Under 17 years.	17to18 years.	18to19 years.	19to20 years.	20to21 years.	21to22 years.	22to23 years.	23to24 years.	24to25 years.	Over 25 years.	Not Reported.	Total.
Artillery	England	39	398	323	224	129	108	92	87	93	320	—	1,813
	Scotland	11	67	74	36	29	24	31	22	24	157	—	475
	Ireland	33	143	167	143	67	54	59	54	63	166	—	949
	Total	83	608	564	403	225	186	182	163	180	643	—	3,237
Engineers	England	11	138	127	117	64	49	39	44	49	162	—	800
Infantry	England	361	7,983	8,208	2,959	1,367	878	745	576	543	965	12	24,569
	Scotland	47	1,164	1,252	468	157	94	74	60	48	144	—	3,508
	Ireland	96	1,292	1,059	383	167	119	94	68	53	161	—	3,492
	Total	504	10,439	10,519	3,810	1,691	1,091	913	704	644	1,270	12	31,597
All Arms	England	411	8,519	8,658	3,300	1,560	1,035	876	707	685	1,447	12	27,210
	Scotland	58	1,231	1,326	504	186	118	105	82	72	301	—	3,983
	Ireland	129	1,435	1,226	526	234	173	153	122	116	327	—	4,441
	Total	598	11,185	11,210	4,330	1,980	1,326	1,134	911	873	2,075	12	35,634

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TABLE 97.—AGES of the MEN DISCHARGED from the MILITIA during 1890.

Arm.	Country.	Under 20 years of age.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 and under 26 years.	26 and under 27 years.	27 and under 28 years.	28 and under 29 years.	29 and under 30 years.	30 and under 31 years.	31 and under 32 years.	32 and under 33 years.	33 and under 34 years.	34 and under 35 years.	35 and under 36 years.	36 and under 37 years.	37 and under 38 years.	38 and under 39 years.	39 and under 40 years.	40 years and upwards.	Total discharged.
Artillery	England	204	81	67	49	60	60	37	25	32	36	41	46	21	29	30	37	26	29	28	21	19	64	1,042
	Scotland	41	17	18	10	32	21	22	12	19	20	14	15	20	23	7	11	8	10	8	8	4	23	363
	Ireland	45	32	35	41	28	42	23	24	21	15	22	20	25	14	38	25	15	30	20	17	19	47	598
	Total	290	130	120	100	120	123	82	61	72	71	77	81	66	66	75	73	49	69	56	46	42	134	2,003
Engineers	England	119	45	31	21	19	19	18	11	16	17	11	9	6	5	5	4	4	1	2	3	2	10	378
Infantry	England	3,990	1,307	904	739	748	659	479	372	395	329	321	275	243	276	265	207	239	192	171	154	138	291	12,694
	Scotland	545	101	74	84	81	107	63	39	40	37	35	41	30	40	22	41	31	24	35	21	33	77	1,601
	Ireland	316	132	99	84	81	97	77	64	76	49	47	40	45	33	36	45	33	49	41	40	31	159	1,674
	Total	4,851	1,540	1,077	907	910	863	619	475	511	415	403	356	318	349	323	293	303	265	247	215	202	527	15,969
All Arms	England	4,313	1,433	1,002	809	827	738	534	408	443	382	373	330	270	310	300	248	269	222	201	178	159	365	14,114
	Scotland	586	118	92	94	113	128	85	51	59	57	49	56	50	63	29	52	39	34	43	29	37	100	1,964
	Ireland	361	164	134	125	109	139	100	88	97	64	69	60	70	47	74	70	48	79	61	57	50	206	2,272
	Total	5,260	1,715	1,228	1,028	1,049	1,005	719	547	599	503	491	446	390	420	403	370	356	335	305	264	246	671	18,350

N.B.—*See* note at page 111.

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TABLE 98.—NUMBER of COURTS-MARTIAL, and NUMBER of MEN of the MILITIA tried, during 1890.

Arm.	Country.	Number of men tried.				Number of trials.			
		Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Total.	General Courts-Martial.	District Courts-Martial.	Regimental Courts-Martial.	Total.
Artillery	England	22	—	—	22	—	1	21	22
	Scotland	8	—	—	8	—	1	7	8
	Ireland	16	—	—	16	—	4	12	16
	Total	46	—	—	46	—	6	40	46
Engineers	England	18	1	—	19	—	4	16	20
Infantry	England	180	—	—	180	—	82	98	180
	Scotland	89	2	—	91	—	12	81	93
	Ireland	23	—	—	23	—	8	15	23
	Total	292	2	—	294	—	102	194	296
All Arms	England	220	1	—	221	—	87	135	222
	Scotland	97	2	—	99	—	13	88	101
	Ireland	39	—	—	39	—	12	27	39
	Total	356	3	—	359	—	112	250	362

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TABLE 99.—OFFENCES for which the MEN of the MILITIA were tried by COURTS-MARTIAL during 1890, showing the SENTENCES AWARDED, and the PUNISHMENTS inflicted.

Arm.	Country.	Offences for which the men were tried.													Sentences awarded.							Acquitted.	Punishments inflicted.						Pardoned.	Sentences wholly remitted.	Sentences quashed.
		Mutiny.	Offences in relation to		Offences in relation to Enlistment.		Offences in relation to Duty.								Penal Servitude.	Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks.	Reduction and Imprisonment.	Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other Punishment.	Imprisonment with or without hard labour.	Total of Sentences awarded.		Penal Servitude.	Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks.	Reduction and Imprisonment.	Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other Punishment.	Imprisonment with or without hard labour.	Total of Punishments inflicted.			
			Desertion.	Fraudulent Enlistment.	Offences in relation to Enlistment.	Violence and Disobedience to Superiors.	Minor Insubordination and Neglect of Orders.	Quitting or Sleeping on Post.	Drunk on Duty.	Drunkenness.	Disgraceful Conduct.	Absence without leave.	Making away with Necessaries.	Miscellaneous.	Total of Offences.																
Artillery	England	—	1	—	—	—	3	—	4	4	—	17	—	2	32	—	14	2	—	5	21	1	14	2	—	5	21	—	—	—
	Scotland	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	—	2	—	1	9	—	7	—	—	1	8	—	7	—	—	1	8	—	—	—
	Ireland	—	1	—	—	1	4	3	1	4	1	3	2	5	25	—	6	—	—	10	16	—	5	—	—	10	15	—	1	—
	Total	—	2	—	—	2	7	3	9	10	1	22	2	8	66	—	27	2	—	16	45	1	26	2	—	16	44	—	1	—
Engineers	England	—	2	—	3	2	5	—	1	—	—	7	8	1	29	—	5	—	—	15	20	—	3	—	—	13	17	—	2	1
	Scotland	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Ireland	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Total	—	2	—	3	2	5	—	1	—	—	7	8	1	29	—	5	—	—	15	20	—	3	—	—	13	17	—	2	1
Infantry	England	—	11	3	4	16	13	2	23	21	4	66	34	34	231	—	91	10	1	73	175	5	92	7	1	73	173	—	2	—
	Scotland	—	5	7	3	1	4	—	10	6	1	50	12	8	107	—	20	4	—	68	92	1	20	4	—	68	92	—	—	—
	Ireland	—	1	—	—	3	4	—	2	7	—	6	2	0	31	—	11	—	—	11	22	1	10	—	—	11	21	—	1	—
	Total	—	17	10	7	20	21	2	35	34	5	122	48	48	369	—	122	14	1	152	289	7	122	11	1	152	286	—	3	—
All Arms	England	—	14	3	7	19	21	2	28	25	4	90	42	37	292	—	110	12	1	93	216	6	109	9	2	91	211	—	4	1
	Scotland	—	5	7	3	—	4	—	14	8	1	52	12	0	118	—	27	4	—	60	100	1	27	4	—	69	100	—	—	—
	Ireland	—	2	—	—	4	8	3	3	11	1	9	4	11	56	—	17	—	—	21	38	1*	15	—	—	21	36	—	2	—
	Total	—	21	10	10	24	33	5	45	44	6	151	58	67	404	—	154	16	1	183	354	8	151	13	2	181	347	—	6	1

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TABLE 100.—NUMBER of MEN of the MILITIA fined for DRUNKENNESS, and the NUMBER of FINES inflicted, also the NUMBER of MINOR PUNISHMENTS, including FINES for DRUNKENNESS, inflicted by COMMANDING OFFICERS during the year 1890.

Arm.	Country.	Number of Men fined for Drunkenness.							Number of Cases of Fines inflicted for Drunkenness.	Number of Cases of Minor Punishment.
		Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total of Men fined.		
Artillery	England	216	29	6	1	—	—	252	296	1,700
	Scotland	45	8	—	—	—	1	54	67	293
	Ireland	140	20	6	—	—	—	166	198	776
	Total	401	57	12	1	—	1	472	561	2,769
Engineers	England	70	12	2	—	—	—	84	100	827
Infantry	England	1,243	131	16	2	—	—	1,392	1,561	15,701
	Scotland	277	32	2	2	—	—	313	355	1,967
	Ireland	381	43	7	—	—	—	431	488	2,882
	Total	1,901	206	25	4	—	—	2,136	2,404	20,550
All Arms	England	1,529	172	24	3	—	—	1,728	1,957	18,228
	Scotland	322	40	2	2	—	1	367	422	2,260
	Ireland	521	63	13	—	—	—	597	686	3,658
	Total	2,372	275	39	5	—	1	2,692	3,065	24,146

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TABLE 101.—SERVICES of the MEN who DESERTED and who were STRUCK OFF as ABSENTEES from the MILITIA during 1890.

Arm.	Country.	Under 1 year's service.	1 and under 2 years' service.	2 and under 3 years' service.	3 and under 4 years' service.	4 and under 5 years' service.	5 years' service and upwards.	Total Desertions.
Artillery	England -	166	127	61	53	31	76	514
	Scotland -	70	52	27	23	26	45	243
	Ireland -	79	118	47	54	34	84	416
	Total -	315	297	135	130	91	205	1,173
Engineers	England -	62	63	26	11	8	13	183
Infantry	England -	2,353	1,199	613	467	330	603	5,565
	Scotland -	347	200	94	61	67	195	964
	Ireland -	221	192	176	159	109	220	1,077
	Total -	2,921	1,591	883	687	506	1,018	7,606
All Arms	England -	2,581	1,389	700	531	369	692	6,262
	Scotland -	417	252	121	84	93	240	1,207
	Ireland -	300	310	223	213	143	304	1,493
	Total -	3,298	1,951	1,044	828	605	1,236	8,962

N.B.—*See* note at page 111.

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TABLE 102.—GENERAL STATE of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY at the dates of the annual inspections of the several corps during the year 1890.

	By Ranks.						By Countries.		
	Officers.	Permanent Staff Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Total all Ranks.	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
Present at inspection	620	235	821	193	7,382	9,251	8,435	816	9,251
Absent from inspection:									
With leave	86	2	105	4	991	1,188	1,011	177	1,188
Without leave	2	—	9	—	247	258	248	10	258
Number enrolled	708	237	935	197	8,620	10,697	9,694	1,003	10,697
Establishment	780	239	995	239	11,833	14,086	12,775	1,311	14,086
Wanting to complete	72	2	60	42	3,213	3,389	3 081	308	3,389
Supernumeraries	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 103.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY during 1890.

	All Ranks (including Permanent Staff).		
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
Enrolled strength on 1st January 1890.	9,749	1,040	10,789
Enrolled - - -	1,633	131	1,764
Transfers from regular army (permanent staff).	29	4	33
Total increase - -	1,662	135	1,797
Dead - - - -	44	—	44
Dismissed for misconduct -	7	1	8
Struck off for absence from training, &c.	158	25	183
Enlisted into regular army -	12	—	12
Voluntarily quitted - -	1,339	145	1,484
Discharged (permanent staff) -	22	3	25
Transferred to regular army (permanent staff).	4	—	4
Total decrease - -	1,586	174	1,760
Net { Increase - -	76	—	37
Net { Decrease - -	—	39	—
Enrolled strength on 1st January 1891.	9,825	1,001	10,826

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TABLE 104.—AGES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY on the 1st January 1891.

—	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
17 and under 18 years - -	64	3	67
18 „ 19 „ - -	208	20	228
19 „ 20 „ - -	363	30	393
20 „ 21 „ - -	505	42	547
21 „ 22 „ - -	556	49	605
22 „ 23 „ - -	597	66	663
23 „ 24 „ - -	600	55	655
24 „ 25 „ - -	629	59	688
25 „ 26 „ - -	570	65	635
26 „ 27 „ -	575	62	637
27 „ 28 „ - -	539	70	609
28 „ 29 „ - -	494	45	539
29 „ 30 „ - -	468	49	517
30 „ 35 „ - -	1,338	154	1,492
35 „ 40 „ - -	1,006	94	1,100
40 „ 45 „ - -	634	80	714
45 „ 50 „ - -	417	35	452
50 years and upwards - -	262	23	285
Total - - -	9,825	1,001	10,826

TABLE 105.—PAST SERVICES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY on the 1st January 1891.

—	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
Under 1 year - - -	1,542	137	1,679
1 and under 2 years - -	1,414	77	1,491
2 „ 3 „ - -	1,148	103	1,251
3 „ 4 „ - -	944	97	1,041
4 „ 5 „ - -	708	81	789
5 „ 6 „ - -	607	64	671
6 „ 7 „ - -	556	59	615
7 „ 8 „ - -	455	56	511
8 „ 9 „ - -	371	36	407
9 „ 10 „ - -	337	52	389
10 „ 15 „ - -	722	117	839
15 „ 20 „ - -	471	60	531
20 years and upwards - -	550	62	612
Total - - -	9,825	1,001	10,826

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TABLE 106.—STATE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on the 1st November 1890, showing the numbers in each of the military districts of Great Britain.

District.	All Ranks.										
	Maximum authorised Establishment.	Efficients.	Non-efficients.	Total enrolled.	Proficients who have gained the special grant of 50*s*.			Officers who have passed in tactics.	Who have passed in signalling.		Present at annual inspection, including the Staff.
					Officers.	Sergeants.	Total.		Officers.	Non-Com. Officers.	
North-eastern - -	38,726	32,109	1,414	33,523	904	1,962	2,866	151	2	12	28,100
North-western - -	54,488	46,789	1,731	48,520	1,209	2,765	3,974	254	14	13	40,041
Eastern - -	15,122	11,843	512	12,355	340	735	1,075	51	4	6	10,447
Western - - -	27,863	23,494	718	24,212	633	1,352	1,985	75	2	9	20,212
Southern - -	9,937	7,766	518	8,284	209	508	717	38	2	9	6,435
Thames - - -	3,486	2,640	120	2,760	90	189	279	23	1	2	2,466
South-eastern - -	6,843	5,552	163	5,715	163	353	516	23	1	5	5,192
Home - - -	44,106	32,899	2,067	34,966	950	2,134	3,084	271	34	52	30,846
Woolwich - - -	1,753	1,220	53	1,273	38	97	135	10	—	1	1,159
North British - -	57,986	47,981	1,459	49,440	1,590	2,915	4,505	292	12	27	42,598
Total - -	260,310	212,293	8,755	221,048	6,126	13,010	19,136	1,188	72	136	187,496

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TABLE 107.—STATE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on the 1st November 1890, showing the different arms of the service.

Arms.	All Ranks.										
	Maximum authorised Establishment.	Efficients.	Non-efficients.	Total enrolled.	Proficients who have earned the special grant of 50s.			Officers who have passed in tactics.	Who have passed in signalling.		Present at annual inspection, including the Staff.
					Officers.	Sergeants.	Total.		Officers.	Non-Com. Officers.	
Light Horse - -	364	171	78	249	11	19	30	—	—	—	153
Artillery - -	47,621	39,565	1,857	41,422	1,240	2,505	3,745	187	6	10	35,246
Engineer* - - -	14,252	12,200	489	12,689	256	616	872	62	2	11	10,921
Mounted Rifle - -	61	41	5	46	5	4	9	—	—	—	41
Rifle - - -	196,697	159,203	6,192	165,395	4,575	9,775	14,350	938	64	112	140,128
Medical Staff Corps -	1,315	1,113	134	1,247	39	91	130	1	—	3	1,007
Total -	260,310	212,293	8,755	221,048	6,126	13,010	19,136	1,188	72	136	187,496

* Including Submarine Miners.

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TABLE 108.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE between 1st November 1889 and 1st November 1890.

—	Light Horse.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Mounted Rifles.	Rifles.	Medical Staff Corps.	Total.
Number enrolled on 1st November 1889	255	42,103	*12,499	48	168,050	1,066	224,021
Enrolled: Recruits	15	8,042	2,995	2	32,506	450	44,010
Enrolled: Having previously served in regular army or auxiliary forces	—	849	284	2	5,723	21	6,879
From regular army	—	68	9	—	187	4	268
Other causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total increase	15	8,959	3,288	4	38,416	475	51,157
Dead	4	158	53	—	611	4	830
Dismissed: Misconduct	—	80	68	—	368	7	523
Dismissed: Non-efficient	—	974	758	—	4,016	19	5,767
Joined regular forces	—	291	197	—	1,395	12	1,895
Struck off on attaining 50 years of age	—	19	3	—	155	—	177
Voluntarily quitted: Under 8 years	7	6,766	1,780	3	29,134	252	37,942
Voluntarily quitted: After 8 years	10	1,352	239	3	5,392	—	6,996
Other causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total decrease	21	9,640	3,098	6	41,071	294	54,130
Net: Increase	—	—	190	—	—	181	—
Net: Decrease	6	681	—	2	2,655	—	2,973
Number enrolled on 1st November 1890	249	41,422	*12,689	46	165,395	1,247	221,048

* Including Submarine Miners.

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TABLE 109.—AGES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on 1st November 1890.

	Under 17 years.	17 to 18.	18 to 19.	19 to 20.	20 to 21.	21 to 22.	22 to 23.	23 to 24.	24 to 25.	25 to 26.	26 to 27.	27 to 28.	28 to 29.	29 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	Upwards of 50 years.	Total.
Light Horse	—	—	—	9	12	9	14	27	15	16	11	18	20	13	40	20	20	2	3	249
Artillery	240	1,807	3,238	3,989	3,816	3,320	2,800	2,517	2,177	1,879	1,734	1,596	1,457	1,419	4,027	2,650	1,478	887	391	41,422
Engineers*	34	487	1,255	1,475	1,472	1,119	986	798	648	564	461	409	322	292	1,016	667	360	237	87	12,689
Mounted Rifles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	5	3	2	2	3	1	10	6	8	2	—	46
Rifles	1,046	6,746	13,862	16,049	15,738	13,892	11,470	9,878	8,474	7,442	6,631	5,893	5,363	5,507	14,895	9,770	6,253	4,371	2,115	165,395
Medical Staff Corps	2	46	112	140	143	147	125	102	111	68	45	41	44	28	34	37	12	7	3	1,247
Total	1,322	9,086	18,467	21,662	21,181	18,487	15,395	13,326	11,430	9,972	8,884	7,959	7,209	7,260	20,022	13,150	8,131	5,506	2,599	221,048

TABLE 110.—PAST SERVICES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on 1st November 1890.

	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	5 to 6.	6 to 7.	7 to 8.	8 to 9.	9 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	Upwards of 20.	Total.
Light Horse	15	26	32	30	17	15	6	23	6	30	16	17	16	249
Artillery	8,426	6,722	5,779	4,185	3,194	2,397	1,909	1,357	1,134	1,020	2,760	1,423	1,116	41,422
Engineers*	3,033	2,496	2,207	1,483	721	505	445	329	241	187	535	222	195	12,689
Mounted Rifles	2	1	2	4	14	2	1	2	2	3	4	8	1	46
Rifles	34,321	27,344	22,676	16,250	11,613	9,485	7,282	5,777	4,747	4,020	10,317	6,018	5,545	165,395
Medical Staff Corps	443	250	253	149	82	28	36	—	—	—	—	4	2	1,247
Total	46,240	36,839	31,039	22,101	15,641	12,432	9,679	7,488	6,130	5,260	13,632	7,692	6,875	221,048

* Including Submarine Miners.

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TABLE 111.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the ARMY RESERVE on the 1st January in each year from 1871 to 1891.

Year.	1st Class Reserve.		Reserve of 1867.		Reserve of 1859 (*c.*)	Enrolled Pensioners (*d.*) (*e.*)	Total.
	1870.	1882 (*a.*)	Class I.	Class II. (*b.*)			
1871	2,676	—	772	800	2,555	15,667	22,470
1872	6,659	—	363	720	2,325	19,183	29,250
1873	6,563	—	314	716	2,227	20,861	30,681
1874	7,376	—	243	667	2,112	20,648	31,046
1875	7,676	—	169	675	1,979	19,560	30,059
1876	5,991	—	60	706	1,866	19,425	28,048
1877	6,038	—	24	687	1,743	21,284	29,776
1878	11,304	—	24	667	1,620	21,473	35,088
1879	15,085	—	—	624	1,481	20,322	37,512
1880	16,651	—	—	570	1,393	20,058	38,672
1881	20,126	—	—	535	1,300	19,835	41,796
1882	24,085	—	—	500	1,192	(*e*)8,859	34,636
1883	16,479	—	—	475	1,112	8,137	26,203
1884	34,589	—	—	453	971	7,172	43,185
1885	39,037	249	—	419	806	6,513	47,024
1886	41,420	469	—	390	680	5,753	48,712
1887	45,994	864	—	318	471	4,906	52,553
1888	49,498	1,452	—	276	216	3,626	55,068
1889	47,301	3,040	—	246	123	2,485	53,195
1890	48,965	5,171	—	190	105	1,651	56,082
1891	51,237	6,996	—	83	87	813	59,216

(*a.*) Established by Royal Warrant 21 March 1883 (Clause 62 of Army Circulars, 1883).

(*b.*) Enrolment suspended 23rd February 1869.

(*c.*) Enrolment suspended 18th August 1866.

(*d.*) Enrolled pensioners merged in the 2nd Class Army Reserve under the Army Reserve Regulations, dated 9th May 1868.

(*e.*) Enrolment of pensioners discontinued (Clause 68 of Army Circulars, 1881), and men over 50 years of age, as well as men under that age unfit for further service, struck off strength.

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TABLE 112.—AGES of the Men belonging to the Army Reserve on 1st January of each year from 1875 to 1891.

Date.	1st Class.						2nd Class (including Enrolled Pensioners).						General Total.
	Under 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not known.	Total.	Under 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not known.	Total.	
1st January 1875 -		No returns compiled.				7,845	100	672	2,786	18,656	—	22,214	30,059
1st January 1876 -	2,796	1,725	1,433	97	—	6,051	70	494	3,049	18,384	—	21,997	28,048
1st January 1877 -	2,949	1,533	1,441	139	—	6,062	50	422	2,921	20,321	—	23,714	29,776
1st January 1878 -	7,042	2,213	1,755	318	—	11,328	102	576	3,074	20,008	—	23,760	35,088
1st January 1879 -	11,209	2,256	1,215	399	6	15,085	42	278	1,730	20,185	192	22,427	37,512
1st January 1880 -	12,526	2,585	1,054	486	—	16,651	21	257	2,355	19,388	—	22,021	38,672
1st January 1881 -	15,531	3,307	780	508	—	20,126	39	204	1,402	20,025	—	21,670	41,796
1st January 1882 -	17,386	5,443	638	618	—	24,085	20	83	575	9,873	—	10,551	34,636
1st January 1883 -	10,738	5,227	458	56	—	16,479	4	75	384	9,261	—	9,724	26,203
1st January 1884 -	26,137	7,938	473	41	—	34,589	1	40	203	8,352	—	8,596	43,185
1st January 1885 -	28,746	9,925	584	31	—	39,286	1	17	111	7,609	—	7,738	47,024
1st January 1886 -	29,729	11,397	728	35	—	41,889	2	12	81	6,728	—	6,823	48,712
1st January 1887 -	32,317	13,563	913	43	22	46,858	2	11	67	5,615	—	5,695	52,553
1st January 1888 -	32,803	16,728	1,342	77	—	50,950	—	5	51	4,062	—	4,118	55,068
1st January 1889 -	30,453	18,237	1,596	55	—	50,341	—	3	38	2,813	—	2,854	53,195
1st January 1890 -	31,177	20,432	2,463	61	3	54,136	—	3	16	1,575	352	1,946	56,082
1st January 1891 -	34,895	20,940	3,077	308	60	59,280	—	2	11	940	—	953	60,233

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TABLE 113.—ENROLLED STRENGTH of the MILITIA at the date of the inspection of the several corps in each year from 1871 to 1890.

Years.	BY RANKS.							BY COUNTRIES.				BY ARMS.				
	Officers.	Permanent Staff.		Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	All Ranks.	English regiments.	Scotch regiments.	Irish regiments.	Total.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	Rifles.	All Arms.
		Sergeants.	Drummers, &c.													
1871	3,293	3,418	1,195	1,261	3,630	94,864	107,661	74,550	10,895	22,216	107,661	13,035	—	76,312	18,314	107,661
1872	3,371	3,412	1,195	1,250	3,567	103,285	116,080	79,026	11,936	25,118	116,080	13,638	—	83,176	19,266	116,080
1873	3,263	3,353	1,195	1,260	3,559	103,352	115,982	77,376	11,738	26,868	115,982	13,960	—	82,060	19,962	115,982
1874	3,298	3,413	1,195	2,030	4,218	98,525	112,679	73,723	11,982	26,974	112,679	13,878	—	78,977	19,824	112,679
1875	3,353	3,363	1,207	2,358	4,510	101,416	116,207	75,135	12,051	29,021	116,207	13,566	—	81,270	21,371	116,207
1876	3,445	3,296	1,209	2,301	4,457	100,217	114,925	75,743	11,996	27,186	114,925	13,532	—	80,673	20,720	114,925
1877	3,430	3,229	1,200	2,323	4,470	103,298	117,950	78,084	12,670	27,196	117,950	14,770	1,059	81,511	20,610	117,950
1878	3,513	3,312	1,176	1,783	3,907	92,185	105,876*	70,773	10,750	24,353	105,876	12,453	994	73,879	18,550	105,876
1879	3,380	3,373	1,186	2,238	4,702	112,870	127,749	83,346	14,122	30,281	127,749	16,264	1,057	88,087	22,341	127,749
1880	3,503	3,433	1,216	2,214	4,694	115,181	130,331	85,623	14,193	30,515	130,331	17,076	1,319	111,936		130,331
1881	3,653	3,434	1,201	1,928	4,612	113,040	127,868†	84,864	14,138	28,866†	127,868†	16,895	1,330	109,643		127,868†
1882	3,559	3,356	1,156	1,699	4,521	104,410	118,701†	78,850	13,244	26,607†	118,701†	18,062	1,229	99,410		118,701†
1883	3,245	3,431	1,164	1,716	4,645	102,441	116,642	76,860	13,109	26,673	116,642	17,272	1,176	98,194		116,642
1884	3,087	3,419	1,190	1,769	4,658	99,664	113,787	76,711	13,967	23,109	113,787	15,335	1,007	97,445		113,787
1885	3,174	3,446	1,236	1,948	4,732	104,820	119,356	81,212	15,033	23,111	119,356	15,569	965	102,822		119,356
1886	3,274	3,450	1,215	2,044	4,736	107,709	122,428	83,333	14,917	24,178	122,428	16,073	1,083	105,272		122,428
1887	3,354	3,445	1,199	2,116	4,684	106,613	121,411	82,111	14,636	24,664	121,411	16,290	1,339	103,782		121,411
1888	3,407	3,404	1,208	2,198	4,676	104,405	119,388	80,113	14,187	25,088	119,388	16,164	1,427	101,797		119,388
1889	3,557	3,350	1,215	2,252	4,598	101,522	116,494	78,009	13,745	24,740	116,494	15,973	1,686	98,835		116,494
1890	3,544	3,291	1,188	2,282	4,559	98,299	113,163	75,214	13,621	24,328	113,163	15,548	1,876	95,739		113,163

* The inspection of the Regiments of Militia, with the exception of 17, took place during the mobilisation of the Militia Reserve, the men of the Militia Reserve are consequently not included in the number enrolled at date of inspection.

† The Irish Militia were not inspected during 1881 and 1882, the strength has been taken on 1st July in each year.

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TABLE 114.—Enrolled strength of the Militia in Rank and File, and the Numbers Supernumerary to or wanting to complete the Establishment on the 1st of January of each year from 1873 to 1891.

Year.	Enrolled Strength.	Establishment.	Supernumeraries.	Wanting to complete.
1873 - -	103,149	124,226	—	21,077
1874 - -	99,456	124,524	—	25,068
1875 - -	100,621	128,737	—	28,116
1876 - -	100,814	128,782	—	27,968
1877 - -	102,774	123,233	—	20,459
1878 - -	104,385	125,570	—	21,185
1879 - -	108,138	125,662	—	17,524
1880 - -	115,645	126,496	—	10,851
1881 - -	116,222	127,932	—	11,710
1882 - -	111,160	128,278	—	17,118
1883 - -	104,431	128,069	—	23,638
1884 - -	97,778	127,653	—	29,875
1885 - -	102,627	126,821	—	24,194
1886 - -	106,293	126,217	—	19,924
1887 - -	108,512	126,217	—	17,705
1888 - -	106,629	126,317	—	19,688
1889 - -	104,404	126,443	—	22,039
1890 - -	101,500	125,256	—	23,756
1891 - -	101,820	127,535	—	25,715

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TABLE 115.—AGES of the Men belonging to the Militia (including the Permanent Staff) and the Militia Reserve on 1st January of each year from 1875 to 1891.

Date.	Militia.								Militia Reserve (included in foregoing numbers).						
	Under 17 years.	17 to 19 years.	19 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	Over 35 years.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 17 years.	17 to 19 years.	19 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	Over 35 years.	Total.
1st Jan. 1875	1,900	16,817	46,172	22,691	11,107	8,427	—	107,114	—	783	14,076	8,031	3,439	884	27,213
1st Jan. 1876	1,769	17,235	46,255	21,705	11,272	8,099	--	106,335	1	669	13,609	7,928	3,385	844	26,436
1st Jan. 1877	1,790	19,388	44,418	22,741	11,952	8,315	—	108,604	—	394	13,629	7,333	3,194	669	25,219
1st Jan. 1878	1,970	19,851	45,099	23,024	11,842	8,261	—	110,047	—	569	13,273	7,823	3,537	640	25,842
1st Jan. 1879	1,876	19,474	48,429	24,292	11,784	9,247	—	115,102	—	108	9,510	6,818	3,195	677	20,308
1st Jan. 1880	1,739	22,492	50,019	25,909	12,402	9,781	—	122,342	—	184	11,492	8,706	3,857	881	25,120
1st Jan. 1881	1,690	19,582	54,866	24,468	12,334	9,985	—	122,925	—	161	12,829	9,208	4,182	1,021	27,401
1st Jan. 1882	1,204	15,226	52,983	24,815	12,772	10,495	—	117,495	—	14	12,041	9,508	4,479	1,232	27,274
1st Jan. 1883	1,374	14,594	48,273	23,766	12,094	10,440	—	110,541	—	—	12,060	9,216	4,329	1,024	26,629
1st Jan. 1884	881	16,495	43,394	21,339	12,043	9,789	—	103,941	—	—	13,765	9,929	5,049	836	29,579
1st Jan. 1885	899	18,994	44,189	21,421	13,109	10,361	—	108,973	—	—	13,776	10,465	5,599	973	30,813
1st Jan. 1886	977	19,836	45,872	22,225	13,681	10,191	—	112,782	-	—	12,866	10,343	5,897	1,022	30,128
1st Jan. 1887	967	19,360	45,496	23,043	14,923	11,278	3	115,070	—	4	12,030	10,406	6,767	1,252	30,459
1st Jan. 1888	932	18,967	44,028	22,354	15,132	11,909	1	113,323	—	—	11,425	10,644	7,248	1,180	30,497
1st Jan. 1889	943	17,669	42,572	20,927	16,144	12,786	—	111,041	—	—	10,974	10,315	7,723	1,497	30,509
1st Jan. 1890	917	18,566	39,419	19,957	16,046	13,235	—	108,140	—	—	10,558	10,057	7,942	1,604	30,161
1st Jan. 1891	994	19,466	38,356	18,738	15,340	13,137	—	106,031	—	—	10,584	9,891	8,146	1,624	30,245

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TABLE 116.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Militia (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) between the Annual Trainings from 1872 to 1879, between the Inspections of 1879 and 1st January 1880, and during the years from 1880 to 1890.

Year	Number enrolled at Date of Inspection.	Increase.						Decrease.							Number enrolled at Date of Inspection.
		Recruits enlisted.	Re-enlisted men.	From Desertion.	Rejoined from Army Service or demobilisation.	Other causes.	Total.	Dead.	Discharged.	Deserted.	Struck off on mobilisation of Militia Reserve.	Joined Regular Army, R. Navy, and R. Marines.	Other causes.	Total.	
1872–3 -	108,102	27,259		504	—	636	28,399	542	14,228	7,548	—	4,324	1,688	28,330	108,171
1873–4 -	108,171	25,324		644	—	312	26,280	511	14,044	9,105	—	4,876	*2,736	31,272	103,179
1874–5 -	103,179	29,587		782	—	*2,081	32,450	536	13,501	8,549	—	5,134	†2,638	30,358	105,271
1875–6 -	105,271	31,337		807	—	†2,603	34,747	535	15,987	9,487	—	6,356	678	33,043	106,975
1876–7 -	106,975	40,821		816	—	1,048	42,685	472	16,852	10,670	—	10,151	1,424	39,569	110,091
1877–8 -	110,091	42,561		769	2,704	837	46,871	501	13,859	14,046	21,730	7,901	1,686	59,723	97,239
1878–9 -	97,239	34,032		943	18,925	675	54,575	463	10,831	13,188	—	7,103	419	32,004	119,810
Between Inspection 1879 and 1 January 1880.	119,810	13,762		239	—	96	14,097	124	1,470	9,698	—	4,775	25	16,092	1 Jan. 1880. 117,815
	On 1st Jan.														On 31st Dec.
1880 -	117,815	32,224		722	—	—	32,946	493	14,650	9,299	—	7,949	60	32,451	118,310
1881 -	118,310	24,965	519	610	—	—	26,094	505	14,778	7,530	—	8,528	110	31,451	112,953
1882 -	112,953	25,642	903	506	—	—	27,051	395	18,492	6,942	—	8,074	47	33,950	106,054
1883 -	106,054	33,764	1,760	607	—	—	36,131	511	18,078	11,330	—	12,771	55	42,745	99,440
1884 -	99,440	39,874	2,106	738	—	—	42,718	418	15,550	8,492	—	13,259	59	37,778	104,380
1885 -	104,380	40,657	2,652	825	—	—	44,134	417	14,113	10,924	—	14,821	43	40,318	108,196
1886 -	108,196	39,330	3,173	810	—	—	43,313	447	15,290	10,680	—	14,530	74	41,021	110,488
1887 -	110,488	33,597	3,039	1229‡	—	—	37,865	421	16,929	10,288	—	11,789	208	39,635	108,718
1888 -	108,718	30,456	2,607	749	—	—	33,812	408	15,943	8,795	—	10,702	149	35,997	106,533
1889 -	106,533	33,354	2,901	797	—	—	37,052	363	17,283	8,670	—	13,122	462	39,900	103,685
1890 -	103,685	35,634	2,513	925	—	—	39,072	448	18,307	8,903	—	13,107	172	40,937	101,820

* Two Regiments were not inspected in 1874. † Four regiments were not inspected in 1875.
‡ Including 678 who received the Queen's pardon under General Order 102 of 1887.

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TABLE 117.—Return showing the Per-centage of Desertions from the Militia to the Recruits enrolled between the Trainings from 1872 to 1879, between the Training of 1879 and 1st January 1880, and during the years from 1880 to 1890.

Recruits enrolled between Trainings.		Deserters and Absentees struck off after Training.		Per-centage of Deserters and Absentees struck off to Recruits enrolled.
Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.	
1872–3 - -	27,259	1873 - -	9,105	33
1873–4 - -	25,324	1874 - -	8,549	34
1874–5 - -	29,587	1875 - -	9,487	35
1875–6 - -	31,337	1876 - -	10,670	34
1876–7 - -	40,821	1877 - -	14,046	34
1877–8 - -	42,561	1878 - -	13,188	31
1878–9 - -	34,032	1879 - -	9,698	28
Between Inspection 1879 and 1st January 1880 - -	13,762	—	—	—
Recruits enrolled during				
Year.	Number.			
1880 - -	32,224	1880 - -	9,299	29
1881 - -	25,484	1881 - -	7,530	29
1882 - -	26,545	1882 - -	6,942	26
1883 - -	35,524	1883 - -	11,330	32*
1884 - -	41,980	1884 - -	8,492	20
1885 - -	43,309	1885 - -	10,924	25
1886 - -	42,503	1886 - -	10,680	25
1887 - -	36,636	1887 - -	10,288	28
1888 - -	30,456	1888 - -	8,795	29
1889 - -	33,354	1889 - -	8,670	26
1890 - - -	35,634	1890 - -	8,903	25

* This large per-centage of deserters and absentees struck off, and recruits enrolled, is due to the large number (4,411) struck off the strength of the Irish Militia; that force not having been assembled for training between 1880 and 1885.

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TABLE 118.—ENROLLED STRENGTH of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY at the dates of the annual inspections of the several corps in each year from 1874 to 1890.

Year.	By Ranks.				By Countries.		
	Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Trumpeters and Privates.	All Ranks.	English regiments.	Scotch regiments.	Total.
1874	843	1,674	10,298	12,815	12,149	666	12,815
1875	830	1,650	9,983	12,463	11,760	703	12,463
1876	833	1,635	9,625	12,093	11,081	1,012	12,093
1877	783	1,608	9,279	11,670	10,611	1,059	11,670
1878	788	1,864	9,828	12,480	11,385	1,095	12,480
1879	Not inspected in 1879.						
	Officers.	Permanent Staff Sergeants & Sergeants.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	All Ranks.		
1880, 1st January	772	1,115	198	9,925	12,010	10,928	1,082	12,010
1880, dates of inspections	758	1,214	197	9,429	11,598	10,526	1,072	11,598
1881, dates of inspections	697	1,135	187	8,598	10,617*	9,551*	1,066	10,617
1882, dates of inspections	716	1,240	203	9,014	11,173	10,135	1,038	11,173
1883, dates of inspections	737	1,242	207	9,018	11,204	10,156	1,048	11,204
1884, dates of inspections	726	1,238	200	9,324	11,488	10,437	1,051	11,488
1885, dates of inspections	712	1,291	226	9,361	11,590	10,536	1,054	11,590
1886, dates of inspections	706	1,293	207	9,293	11,499	10,416	1,083	11,499
1887, dates of inspections	718	1,296	199	9,054	11,267	10,202	1,065	11,267
1888, dates of inspections	704	1,296	193	8,768	10,961	9,908	1,053	10,961
1889, dates of inspections	698	1,172	194	8,646	10,710	9,684	1,026	10,710
1890, dates of inspections	708	1,172	197	8,620	10,697	9,694	1,003	10,697

* Two regiments not inspected in 1881.

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TABLE 119.—STATE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE in each year from 1871 to 1890.

ALL RANKS.														
Year.	Maximum Establishment.	Supernumeraries authorised.	Efficient.	Non-efficient.	Number enrolled.	Extra-efficient.	Officers and Sergeants who have obtained certificates of proficiency.	Officers who have passed in Tactics.	Who have passed in Signalling.		Present at Inspection.	Per-centage of enrolled members who were		
									Officers.	Non.-Com. Officers.		Efficient.	* Extra-efficient.	Present at Inspection.
1871	246,232	—	172,619	19,989	192,608	117,721	10,638	—	—	—	138,334	89·62	75·6	71·82
1872	244,818	—	160,737	17,542	178,279	114,080	11,582	—	—	—	137,922	90·16	79·02	77·36
1873	240,067	—	153,216	18,721	171,937	—	12,911	—	—	—	135,115	89·11	—	78·58
1874	236,685	3,252	161,100	14,287	175,387	—	14,152	—	—	—	139,858	91·85	—	79·74
1875	238,261	3,333	168,709	12,371	181,080	—	14,869	—	—	—	145,753	93·16	—	80·49
1876	238,059	3,653	174,184	11,317	185,501	—	15,525	—	—	—	151,753	93·89	—	81·8
1877	240,120	4,956	182,810	10,216	193,026	—	16,306	—	—	—	159,378	94·7	—	82·56
1878	244,263	5,182	194,191	9,022	203,213	—	17,054	—	—	—	170,209	95·55	—	83·75
1879	245,185	5,421	197,485	8,780	206,265	—	17,411	—	—	—	174,646	95·75	—	84·67
1880	243,546	1,060	196,938	9,599	206,537	—	17,284	—	—	—	173,473	95·35	—	83·99
1881	245,429	610	200,162	8,146	208,308	—	17,479	—	—	—	175,651	96·08	—	84·32
1882	246,119	550	199,374	7,962	207,336	—	17,621	328	—	—	175,878	96·16	—	84·83
1883	247,842	—	202,428	6,937	209,365	—	17,897	485	—	—	179,739	96·69	—	85·85
1884	249,419	—	208,365	6,650	215,015	—	18,147	627	—	—	184,282	96·91	—	85·71
1885	250,967	—	218,207	5,805	224,012	—	18,368	728	—	—	194,838	97·42	—	86·98
1886	253,935	—	221,105	5,647	226,752	—	18,698	789	—	—	196,293	97·51	—	86·57
1887	255,478	—	221,491	6,547	228,038	—	18,921	904	4	—	197,269	97·12	—	86·5
1888	257,743	—	220,124	6,345	226,469	—	19,096	1,086	27	—	196,707	97·19	—	86·86
1889	259,583	—	216,999	7,022	224,021	—	19,133	1,226	48	81	191,007	96·87	—	85·26
1890	260,310	—	212,293	8,755	221,048	—	19,136	1,188	72	136	187,496	96·04	—	84·82

* This column does not apply to Artillery Volunteers.

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Months.	All Ranks.															
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.				Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	Total.
			Horse	Field.	Mountain.	Garrison.										
1st January -	1,295	17,600	3,787	14,204	1,315	16,251	7,305	5,517	133,557	2,773	3,372	784	299	80	2,360	210,499
1st February -	1,299	17,696	3,809	14,509	1,299	16,326	7,349	5,537	133,787	2,766	3,361	791	303	80	2,378	211,290
1st March -	1,302	17,750	3,779	14,545	1,275	16,417	7,388	5,578	132,948	2,769	3,353	788	311	80	2,403	210,686
1st April -	1,305	17,723	3,795	14,403	1,288	16,399	7,418	5,570	132,613	2,782	3,337	789	313	80	2,426	210,241
1st May -	1,301	17,723	3,800	14,327	1,289	16,324	7,417	5,573	130,915	2,849	3,351	785	310	90	2,451	208,505
1st June -	1,299	17,663	3,791	14,245	1,288	16,248	7,373	5,545	129,810	2,877	3,398	792	311	90	2,453	207,183
1st July -	1,294	17,662	3,772	14,225	1,285	16,242	7,375	5,582	129,904	2,916	3,506	785	309	90	2,461	207,408
1st August -	1,290	17,666	3,768	14,229	1,301	16,257	7,344	5,590	130,252	2,985	3,522	783	305	90	2,441	207,823
1st September -	1,288	17,813	3,773	14,256	1,301	16,227	7,389	5,534	131,219	3,044	3,491	789	310	90	2,411	208,935
1st October -	1,292	17,887	3,782	14,356	1,297	16,255	7,419	5,539	132,012	3,067	3,508	796	307	90	2,399	210,006
1st November -	1,299	18,086	3,830	14,312	1,320	16,332	7,451	5,631	133,139	3,183	3,508	803	314	90	2,385	211,683
1st December -	1,305	18,092	3,857	14,373	1,304	16,253	7,464	5,678	133,524	3,195	3,510	794	316	91	2,380	212,136
Average during 1891 - -	1,297	17,799	3,795	14,332	1,297	16,294	7,391	5,573	131,974	2,934	3,435	790	309	86	2,412	209,699

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TABLE 2.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the Regular Army, *by Ranks*, on the first day of each month during the year 1891, and the average strength during the year.

Months.	ALL RANKS.					
	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.
1st January 1891	7,560	823	13,203	3,366	185,547	210,499
1st February ,,	7,567	826	13,196	3,358	186,343	211,290
1st March ,,	7,613	825	13,197	3,337	185,714	210,686
1st April ,,	7,641	825	13,198	3,348	185,229	210,241
1st May ,,	7,603	830	13,169	3,348	183,555	208,505
1st June ,,	7,632	833	13,132	3,360	182,226	207,183
1st July ,,	7,620	838	13,134	3,358	182,458	207,408
1st August ,,	7,633	833	13,167	3,368	182,822	207,823
1st September ,,	7,624	834	13,209	3,381	183,887	208,935
1st October ,,	7,624	840	13,240	3,381	184,921	210,006
1st November ,,	7,633	841	13,263	3,398	186,548	211,683
1st December ,,	7,620	842	13,279	3,414	186,981	212,136
Average during 1891 -	7,614	832	13,199	3,368	184,686	209,699

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TABLE 3.—AVERAGE STRENGTH of the Army in England, Scotland, Ireland, and Abroad, during 1891, distinguishing the number of Officers, Warrant Officers, and Men, and the different arms of the service.

	Cavalry.			Royal Artillery.			Royal Engineers.			Infantry, &c.			All Arms.			Total.
	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Men.	
England and Wales -	371	30	8,248	539	55	15,147	402	69	4,365	1,479	270	42,988	2,791	424	70,748	73,963
Scotland - - -	23	2	412	14	2	266	9	5	72	100	18	3,190	146	27	3,940	4,113
Ireland - - -	142	12	3,448	61	5	1,669	34	8	482	702	91	20,130	939	116	25,729	26,784
Total at Home - -	536	44	12,108	614	62	17,082	445	82	4,919	2,281	379	66,308	3,876	567	100,417	104,860
Colonies and Egypt -	27	1	670	201	23	4,585	129	6	1,465	824	106	24,514	1,181	136	31,234	32,551
India - - -	255	18	5,419	475	8	12,667	342	–	3	1,485	103	51,513	2,557	129	69,602	72,288
Total Abroad - -	282	19	6,089	676	31	17,252	471	6	1,468	2,309	209	76,027	3,738	265	100,836	104,839
General Average during 1891 -	818	63	18,197	1,290	93	34,334	916	88	6,387	4,590	588	142,335	7,614	832	201,253	209,699
	19,078			35,717			7,391			147,513			209,699			

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TABLE 4.—DISTRIBUTION of the Army, according to the latest returns received on the 1st January 1892, showing the Effectives and Establishment of each Arm.

	ALL RANKS.															
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.				Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	General Total.
			Horse.	Field.	Mountain.	Garrison.										
AT HOME:—																
England and Wales	1,298	7,463	1,675	6,274	184	7,090	4,757	4,988	32,651	—	2,548	481	135	50	1,471	71,065
Jersey	—	—	—	—	—	133	5	—	850	—	2	1	1	—	12	1,004
Guernsey and Alderney	—	—	—	—	—	135	2	—	706	—	3	2	1	—	9	858
Scotland	—	432	—	118	—	191	91	—	3,101	—	17	14	6	2	51	4,023
Ireland	—	3,566	256	850	—	757	483	697	19,179	—	681	91	34	3	344	26,941
Total	1,298	11,461	1,931	7,242	184	8,306	5,338	5,685	56,487	—	3,251	589	177	55	1,887	103,891
ON PASSAGE FROM Ceylon HOME TO Malta	—	—	—	—	—	129	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	129
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	759	—	—	—	—	—	—	759
ON PASSAGE FROM— Egypt to Hong Kong	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,003	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,003
ON PASSAGE From India to Ceylon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,079	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,079
Home from India	—	—	—	173	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	173
EGYPT (including Drafts on passage out)	—	190	—	—	—	150	116	—	2,691	—	61	53	4	—	85	3,350
IN THE COLONIES (including Drafts on passage out)	—	497	—	—	176	4,515	1,628	—	18,721	3,265	155	148	41	38	402	29,586
EAST INDIES (including Drafts on passage out) —																
Bengal	—	4,023	1,228	3,666	816	1,698	3	—	33,201	—	—	—	47	—	—	44,682
Bombay	—	651	328	1,866	—	929	—	—	8,855	—	—	—	34	—	—	12,663
Madras	—	1,275	317	1,273	129	538	—	—	10,292	—	—	—	17	—	—	13,841
Regiments on Passage, &c.	—	—	16	33	—	39	346	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	434
Total	—	5,949	1,889	6,838	945	3,204	349	—	52,348	—	—	—	98	—	—	71,620
General Total at Home and Abroad	1,298	18,097	3,820	14,253	1,305	16,304	7,431	5,685	133,088	3,265	3,467	790	320	93	2,374	211,590
Establishment	1,299	17,694	3,711	14,017	1,308	16,750	7,397	5,888	136,411	5,235	3,501	790	307	90	2,401	216 709

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TABLE 5.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH and ESTABLISHMENT of each Arm of the Service, in Rank and File, on the 1st January 1892, and the number supernumerary or required to complete the Establishment.

Corps.	Effectives.	Establishment.	Wanting to complete.	Supernumeraries.
Household Cavalry	1,029	1,029	—	—
Cavalry of the Line	15,678	15,268	—	410
Royal Artillery — Horse	3,413	3,304	—	109
Royal Artillery — Field	12,848	12,592	—	256
Royal Artillery — Mountain	1,142	1,146	4	—
Royal Artillery — Garrison	14,210	14,679	469	—
Royal Engineers	5,417	5,301	—	116
Foot Guards	5,021	5,220	199	—
Infantry of the Line	119,480	122,793	3,313	—
Colonial Corps	2,922	4,704	1,782	—
Army Service Corps	2,647	2,659	12	—
Ordnance Store Corps	616	605	—	11
Corps of Armourers	23	20	—	3
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	2,001	2,028	27	—
General Total	186,447	191,348	5,806	905
			4,901	—

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TABLE 6.—DISTRIBUTION of the Regiments and Depôts of Cavalry and Infantry, Batteries and Companies of Artillery, Companies of Engineers, &c., &c, on the 1st January 1892.

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.							Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.		Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.
				Horse.		Field.		Mountain.	Garrison.									
	Regiments.	Regiments.	Depôts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Service Cos.	Depôt Cos.	Troop Dvsns., Comps	Battalions.	Battalions.	Regtl. Depôts.	Batteries or Companies.	Comps.	Comps.	Divisions.
AT HOME:—																		
England	3	10 (and 6 Tps.)	10	7	2	30	4	1	17 (and 2 ½ Cos.)	7	36	6	34	51	—	30	4	12
Jersey	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Guernsey and Alderney	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Scotland	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	10	—	—	—	1
Ireland	—	6	—	2	—	6	—	—	2	1	5	1	25	8	—	9	—	4
Total	3	17 (and 6 Tps.)	10	9	2	37	4	1	21 (and 2 ½ Cos.)	9	41	7	63	69	—	39	4	17
ON PASSAGE FROM HOME To Ceylon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	½	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE FROM HOME To Malta	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE from Egypt to Hong Kong.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE From India to Ceylon.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
ON PASSAGE Home from India.	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Egypt	—	(2 Tps.)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 6—*continued.*

	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.							Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.		Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.
				Horse.		Field.		Mountain.	Garrison.									
	Regiments.	Regiments.	Depôts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Depôt Batts.	Service Batts.	Service Cos.	Depôt Cos.	Troops, Dvsns., Comps.	Battalions.	Battalions.	Regtl. Depôts.	Batteries or Companies.	Comps.	Comps.	Divisions.
IN THE COLONIES:—																		
Gibraltar	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	4	—	4	—	—	—	—	—
Malta	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	3	—	6 (and 4 Cos.)	—	4	—	—	—
Cyprus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(4 Cos.)	—	—	—	—	—
West Africa Settlements	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11½	—	—	—
Cape of Good Hope	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—			—	—	—	—
Natal	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
St. Helena	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			—	—	—	—
Mauritius	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—			2	—	—	—
Ceylon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2 (½ Cos.)	—	½	—	1	—	3	—	—	—
China and Hong Kong	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	4	—	—	—
Straits Settlements	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	½	—	1	—	2	—	—	—
Dominion of Canada	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	⅔ & ½	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Bermuda	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Barbados, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	⅓	—	—	—	(5 Cos.)	—	5½	—	—	—
Jamaica, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	(3 Cos.)	—	4½	—	—	—
Total	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	16 (and 3 ½ Cos.)	—	14	—	20	—	36	—	—	—
EAST INDIES:—																		
Bengal	—	6	—	7	—	22	—	7	16	—	1	—	32	—	—	—	—	—
Bombay	—	1	—	2	—	12	—	—	5	—		—	9	—	—	—	—	—
Madras	—	2	—	2	—	8	—	1	6	—		—	11	—	—	—	—	—
Total	—	9	—	11	—	42	—	8	27	—	1	—	52	—	—	—	—	—
General Total at Home and Abroad	3	28	10	20	2	80	4	10	68	9	57	7	141	69	36*	39	4	17
				22		84			77									

* Exclusive of Hong Kong Regiment and 4 Companies of Native Artillery not formed on 1st January 1892.

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TABLE 7.—AVERAGE STRENGTH of the Army in England, Scotland, Ireland, and Abroad, during each year from 1872 to 1891, distinguishing the number of Officers and Men.

Year.	Officers.						Warrant Officers.						Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.						General Total.	Year.
	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Total at Home.	Abroad.	Total Officers.	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Total at Home.	Abroad.	Total Warrant Officers.	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Total at Home.	Abroad.	Total Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.		
1872	3,480	171	1,197	4,848	4,144	8,992							69,994	3,298	26,014	99,306	83,709	183,015	192,007	1872
1873	3,487	207	1,121	4,815	3,877	8,692							67,637	3,741	24,390	95,768	83,919	179,687	188,379	1873
1874	3,317	208	996	4,521	3,763	8,284							67,577	4,000	21,537	93,114	84,991	178,105	186,389	1874
1875	3,171	218	1,002	4,391	3,691	8,082							66,308	3,955	22,539	92,802	83,785	176,587	184,669	1875
1876	3,156	213	996	4,365	3,776	8,141							67,201	3,824	21,756	92,781	83,511	176,292	184,433	1876
1877	3,122	209	963	4,294	3,766	8,060							72,185	3,674	21,751	97,610	84,832	182,442	190,502	1877
1878	3,105	196	894	4,195	3,750	7,945							77,495	4,437	23,074	105,006	87,807	192,813	*200,758	1878
1879	2,881	163	791	3,835	4,007	7,842							62,633	3,854	17,893	84,380	99,068	183,448	191,290	1879
1880	2,989	186	869	4,044	3,773	7,817							64,308	3,820	19,715	87,843	93,326	181,169	188,986	1880
1881	2,722	180	1,052	3,954	3,658	7,612							58,909	3,610	25,473	87,992	93,194	181,186	188,798	1881
1882	2,568	146	1,104	3,818	3,518	7,336	291	18	93	402	209	611	58,466	3,445	28,164	90,075	91,207	181,282	189,229	1882
1883	2,550	135	1,029	3,714	3,479	7,193	290	16	91	397	214	611	59,281	3,185	23,494	85,960	88,207	174,167	181,971	1883
1884	2,473	134	971	3,578	3,519	7,097	293	16	94	403	220	623	59,399	3,250	23,364	86,013	89,271	175,284	183,004	1884
1885	2,262	130	856	3,248	3,827	7,075	302	19	83	404	267	671	59,919	3,788	24,220	†87,927	102,391	†190,318	198,064	1885
1886	2,546	136	874	3,556	3,662	7,218	333	19	89	441	241	682	66,574	3,578	23,908	94,060	101,845	195,905	203,805	1886
1887	2,720	142	896	3,758	3,513	7,271	342	19	88	449	233	682	73,124	3,626	25,810	102,560	99,061	201,621	209,574	1887
1888	2,733	143	897	3,773	3,549	7,322	342	20	90	452	230	682	72,135	3,568	26,985	102,688	100,413	203,101	211,105	1888
1889	2,812	145	942	3,899	3,589	7,488	413	24	122	559	267	826	71,482	3,720	26,296	101,498	100,486	201,984	210,298	1889
1890	2,827	145	924	3,896	3,631	7,527	418	25	118	561	268	829	71,908	3,779	25,524	101,211	99,654	200,865	209,221	1890
1891	2,791	146	939	3,876	3,738	7,614	424	27	116	567	265	832	70,748	3,940	25,729	100,417	100,836	201,253	209,699	1891

N.B.—Regiments on passage out and home are included with the numbers "ABROAD."

* The increase in the average strength of the Army during this year is due to the Mobilisation of the First Class Army and Militia Reserves during three months of the period.

† In addition to these a force of Militia of an average strength of 5,352 of all ranks was embodied during a portion of the year.

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TABLE 8.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH, according to the latest returns received, on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892, showing the Number of each Arm.

Year.	ALL RANKS.															Year.
	House-hold Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engi-neers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	*Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	All Arms.	
1873	1,296	16,377	5,590	28,891	5,602	6,298	120,367	3,329	2,978		—		687		191,415	1873
1874	1,280	16,092	5,709	28,294	5,649	5,822	117,441	2,352	2,950		—		1,046		186,635	1874
1875	1,283	16,060	5,681	28,777	5,627	5,633	116,727	2,376	2,988		—		1,280		186,432	1875
1876	1,286	16,298	5,337	28,341	5,665	5,540	114,974	2,231	3,005		—		1,272		183,949	1876
1877	1,288	16,547	5,491	29,803	5,698	5,853	118,704	2,185	3,001		—		1,445		190,015	1877
1878	1,287	16,412	5,751	28,980	5,773	5,998	119,185	2,287	3,001		—		1,571		190,245	1878
1879	1,271	16,203	5,786	29,320	6,011	5,940	120,359	2,316	2,433	542	—		1,752		191,933	1879
1880	1,299	16,425	5,583	28,365	5,695	5,996	121,327	2,330	2,444	553	—		1,787		191,804	1880
1881	1,281	15,903	5,603	28,027	5,568	5,990	119,235	2,330	2,450	595	—		1,976		188,958	1881
1882	1,286	15,503	5,172	27,791	5,483	5,762	120,788	2,404	2,426	585	—		1,933		189,133	1882
1883	1,286	15,657	4,599	28,408	5,625	5,697	124,021	2,284	2,940	601	—	—	2,272	7	193,397	1883
1884	1,280	15,291	4,508	27,151	5,460	5,619	114,283	2,357	2,517	595	—	18	2,148	—	181,227	1884
1885	1,339	15,951	4,163	27,745	5,701	6,232	119,583	2,308	2,794	596	—	34	2,211	—	188,657	1885
1886	1,343	16,826	4,209	29,086	6,066	6,251	128,534	2,291	2,814	682	—	47	2,636	—	200,785	1886
1887	1,312	18,122	4,232	30,035	6,272	5,861	133,906	2,414	2,821	689	—	50	2,643	—	208,357	1887
1888	1,293	17,967	3,874	31,900	6,681	5,923	134,444	2,536	3,017	676	—	59	2,651	—	211,021	1888
1889	1,293	17,851	3,566	31,562	6,764	5,691	135,404	2,560	3,140	732	—	66	2,401	—	211,030	1889
1890	1,302	17,658	3,791	31,305	7,058	5,807	133,909	2,494	3,388	764	274	70	2,398	—	210,218	1890
1891	1,295	17,600	3,787	31,770	7,305	5,517	133,557	2,773	3,372	784	299	80	2,360	—	210,499	1891
1892	1,298	18,097	3,820	31,862	7,431	5,685	133,088	3,265	3,467	790	320	93	2,374	—	211,590	1892

* Brought on the Regimental Establishment as a Corps on 1st April 1889.

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TABLE 9.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892, showing the different ranks.

Years.	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Serjeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	All Ranks.
1873	8,847	—	12,531	3,770	166,267	191,415
1874	8,298	—	12,567	3,691	162,079	186,635
1875	8,156	—	12,485	3,643	162,148	186,432
1876	8,093	—	12,578	3,638	159,640	183,949
1877	8,140	—	12,618	3,618	165,639	190,015
1878	7,913	—	12,420	3,546	166,366	190,245
1879	7,866	—	12,721	3,512	167,834	191,933
1880	7,862	—	12,548	3,485	167,909	191,804
1881	7,725	—	12,479	3,434	165,320	188,958
1882	7,391	—	12,777	3,310	165,655	189,133
1883	7,281	598	12,297	3,387	169,834	193,397
1884	7,074	624	12,173	3,327	158,029	181,227
1885	7,016	633	12,429	3,324	165,255	188,657
1886	7,168	688	12,706	3,358	176,865	200,785
1887	7,164	686	12,693	3,353	184,461	208,357
1888	7,278	683	12,810	3,411	186,839	211,021
1889	7,441	828	12,846	3,406	186,509	211,030
1890	7,538	832	13,056	3,360	185,432	210,218
1891	7,560	823	13,203	3,366	185,547	210,499
1892	7,596	831	13,318	3,398	186,447	211,590

TABLE 10.—EFFECTIVES, ESTABLISHMENTS, and number wanting to complete or supernumerary, in Rank and File, on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892.

Years.	Effectives.	Establishments.	Wanting to complete.	Supernumerary.
1873	166,267	169,395	3,128	—
1874	162,079	161,031	—	1,048
1875	162,148	160,929	—	1,219
1876	159,640	160,537	897	—
1877	165,639	166,191	552	—
1878	166,366	164,877	—	1,489
1879	167,834	165,885	—	1,949
1880	167,909	164,115	—	3,794
1881	165,320	164,923	—	397
1882	165,655	163,401	—	2,254
1883	169,834	168,863	—	971
1884	158,029	165,386	7,357	—
1885	165,255	167,864	2,609	—
1886	176,865	180,130	3,265	—
1887	184,461	186,834	2,373	—
1888	186,839	186,180	—	659
1889	186,509	187,135	626	—
1890	185,432	189,426	3,994	—
1891	185,547	190,149	4,602	—
1892	186,447	191,348	4,901	—

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TABLE 11.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of each arm of the service reported during the year 1891.

—	NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND MEN.																	
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.				Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	Corps of Army Signallers.	All Arms.
			Horse.	Field.	Mountain.	Garrison.												
Effectives on 1st January 1891	1,209	16,807	3,646	13,744	1,265	15,532	6,320	5,277	129,207	2,657	3,033	710	298	79	2,332	—	—	202,116
Increase.																		
Recruits joined — Long Service	167	116	21	80	2	132	86	37	738	540	19	3	34	15	5	—	—	1,995
Recruits joined — Short Service (3 years)	—	—	—	—	—	—	141	934	—	—	522	—	—	—	206	4	135	1,942
Recruits joined — Short Service (7 years)	—	3,490	54	2,237	—	2,435	584	633	22,242	165	—	64	—	—	162	—	—	32,066
	167	3,606	75	2,317	2	2,567	811	1,604	22,980	705	541	67	34	15	373	4	135	36,003
Joined from desertion	2	161	29	144	9	98	23	50	1,157	8	18	1	—	—	7	—	—	1,707
From Army Reserve	1	2	—	1	—	2	—	1	22	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	30
Other causes	16	—	437	—	175	—	—	—	—	1	135	45	—	—	—	—	—	809
Total Increase	186	3,769	541	2,462	186	2,667	834	1,655	24,159	714	694	114	34	15	380	4	135	38,549
Decrease.																		
Dead	4	122	31	158	27	132	42	24	1,179	33	11	7	4	2	19	—	—	1,795
Discharged	169	1,186	176	773	36	962	300	439	6,683	162	217	36	8	—	153	—	—	11,300
Struck off as Deserters	9	604	65	379	11	301	53	147	2,986	16	36	3	—	—	21	—	—	4,631
To Army Reserve — On completion of service.	—	850	203	906	118	574	176	836	12,194	—	171	22	—	—	78	—	—	16,128
To Army Reserve — On conversion of service.	—	365	23	84	—	37	125	18	607	13	161	30	—	—	74	4	135	1,676
To Army Reserve — Relegated	—	15	—	3	1	—	—	7	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	90
To Army Reserve — On demobilisation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To Militia, Yeomanry, and Volunteers.	2	31	7	31	1	77	8	12	566	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	735
Given up as deserters	—	12	2	16	1	2	—	4	24	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	63
Other causes	—	91	—	73	—	536	26	3	331	—	—	—	1	—	23	—	—	1,084
Total Decrease	184	3,276	507	2,423	195	2,621	730	1,490	24,634	224	596	98	13	2	370	4	135	37,502
Nett Increase	2	493	34	39	—	46	104	165	—	490	98	16	21	13	10	—	—	1,047
Nett Decrease	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	475	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Effectives on 1st January 1892	1,211	17,300	3,680	13,783	1,256	15,578	6,424	5,442	128,732	3,147	3,131	726	319	92	2,342	—	—	203,163

N.B.—The figures in this table represent the increase and decrease of the army as *reported in the returns received month by month* during 1891, and do not in every case correspond with the *actual number of Recruits and Casualties during the year* as shown in tables 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, and 20.

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TABLE 12.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Army reported during each month of the year 1891.

—	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men—All Arms.												
	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total since commencement of the year.
Effectives on 1st of the month	202,116	202,897	202,248	201,775	200,072	198,718	198,950	199,357	200,477	201,542	203,209	203,674	(1st Jan. 1892.) 205,163
Increase.													
Recruits joined — Long Service	144	145	156	170	148	139	158	190	167	250	141	187	1,995
Recruits joined — Short Service — 3 years	226	174	159	156	156	214	128	129	164	164	167	105	1,942
Recruits joined — Short Service — 7 years	3,389	2,658	2,270	2,124	1,819	2,121	2,405	3,008	2,931	3,523	3,088	2,730	32,066
	3,759	2,977	2,585	2,450	2,123	2,474	2,691	3,327	3,262	3,937	3,396	3,022	36,003
Joined from desertion	140	138	130	125	165	137	130	126	149	167	154	146	1,707
From Army Reserve	2	2	1	1	3	6	4	3	2	2	3	1	30
Other causes	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	38	—	—	—	7	50
Total Increase	3,901	3,117	2,716	2,576	2,296	2,617	2,825	3,494	3,413	4,106	3,553	3,176	37,790
Decrease													
Dead	127	90	110	133	144	237	187	181	133	169	141	143	1,795
Discharged	931	878	801	935	993	996	961	1,046	881	918	933	1,027	11,300
Struck off as deserters	402	388	463	345	284	323	350	388	416	415	375	482	4,631
To Army Reserve — On completion of service	1,412	2,175	1,409	2,575	1,986	555	651	595	731	731	1,455	1,853	16,128
To Army Reserve — On conversion of service	150	132	269	188	137	120	132	117	119	122	81	109	1,676
To Army Reserve — Relegated	3	10	9	4	5	5	5	3	6	17	12	11	90
To Army Reserve — On demobilisation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To Militia, Yeomanry, and Volunteers	44	48	90	92	94	55	43	40	51	63	58	57	735
Given up as deserters	8	9	3	5	7	4	4	4	7	4	3	5	63
Other causes	43	36	35	2	—	90	85	—	4	—	30	—	325
Total Decrease	3,120	3,766	3,189	4,279	3,650	2,385	2,418	2,374	2,348	2,439	3,088	3,687	36,743
Nett Increase	781	—	—	—	—	232	407	1,120	1,065	1,667	465	—	1,047
Nett Decrease	—	649	473	1,703	1,354	—	—	—	—	—	—	511	—

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TABLE 13.—RECRUITS reported as served with notices and passed into the Service, casualties between being served with notices and final approval and nett result of recruiting in the UNITED KINGDOM during the year 1891; also the agencies by which the men were raised, the number obtained during each month in England, Scotland, and Ireland, respectively, and the total number obtained during the year in each District or Regimental District, for the Regiment and for the Army generally.

Months.	Persons served with Notices by Recruiters.	Rejected prior to Attestation.	Failed to come up for Attestation.	Other Causes.	Attested.	After Attestation.			Passed into the Service.	Recruiting Agencies.														Where raised.			
						Rejected.	Deserted.	Other Causes.		At Head Quarters of Regmts.	Regimental Districts.						Artillery Sub-Districts.	London, Dublin, and Liverpool Recruiting Districts.					Engineer agencies.	Passed into the Service.	In England.	In Scotland.	In Ireland.	Passed into the Service.
											Depôts.	Staff of Reserve Forces.	Pensioners.	Line Parties.	Total.		District Staff.	Staff of Reserve Forces.	Pensioners.	Line Parties.	Total.						
January -	7,374	2,054	997	5	4,318	396	24	13	3,874	167	128	1,609	171	617	2,525	436	207	146	57	323	733	13	3,874	3,197	292	385	3,874
February -	5,870	1,778	1,014	4	3,074	234	32	12	2,800	143	58	1,094	127	552	1,831	291	124	79	67	256	526	9	2,800	2,288	262	250	2,800
March - -	4,984	1,429	858	-	2,697	181	22	10	2,493	143	68	1,027	88	493	1,676	206	133	77	46	192	448	20	2,493	2,034	231	228	2,493
April - -	5,000	1,539	854	1	2,606	170	19	13	2,412	141	105	892	64	412	1,473	250	162	88	63	223	536	12	2,412	1,950	228	234	2,412
May - -	4,051	1,183	726	-	2,142	111	25	10	1,988	121	95	760	58	342	1,255	196	123	42	41	187	393	23	1,988	1,621	162	205	1,988
June - -	4,749	1,395	806	-	2,548	132	17	4	2,404	129	105	788	75	509	1,477	241	159	50	67	265	541	16	2,404	1,896	202	306	2,404
July - -	5,293	1,599	793	-	2,901	158	18	14	2,667	163	153	843	93	523	1,612	220	164	143	61	287	655	17	2,667	2,036	240	391	2,667
August - -	6,250	1,880	846	-	3,524	219	35	4	3,311	152	182	1,153	125	650	2,110	287	106	219	76	339	740	22	3,311	2,575	381	355	3,311
September -	6,338	1,834	957	-	3,547	244	34	6	3,261	196	149	1,280	90	557	2,076	294	135	143	70	320	668	27	3,261	2,706	287	268	3,261
October -	7,540	2,105	1,183	-	4,252	371	37	16	3,815	213	156	1,634	76	664	2,530	378	116	139	66	359	680	14	3,815	3,232	308	275	3,815
November -	6,616	1,908	1,088	1	3,619	290	34	14	3,291	177	134	1,410	74	549	2,167	331	110	113	58	327	608	8	3,291	2,830	208	253	3,291
December -	5,837	1,655	808	-	3,374	302	28	8	3,030	163	144	1,257	84	582	2,067	303	103	97	59	229	491	6	3,030	2,498	235	297	3,030
General Total	69,902	20,359	10,930	11	38,602	2,808	325	124	35,346	1,908	1,477	13,747	1,125	6,450	22,799	3433	1,645	1,336	731	3,307	7,019	187	35,346	28,863	3,036	3,447	35,346

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TABLE 13 (*continued*).—RECRUITS raised in Recruiting Districts and Regimental and Sub-Districts during 1891.

Regimental District.	Head-quarters.	Passed into the Service. Total for the Army.	Passed into the Service. For the Regiment and included in foregoing column.
1	Glencorse	535	151
2	Guildford	475	219
3	Canterbury	340	181
4	Lancaster	159	79
5	Newcastle-on-Tyne	433	126
6	Warwick	1,543	301
7	Hounslow	343	71
8	Warrington	164	72
9	Norwich	283	171
10	Lincoln	169	96
11	Exeter	256	129
12	Bury St. Edmunds	224	171
13	Taunton	262	169
14	York	302	98
15	Beverley	111	65
16	Bedford	198	94
17	Leicester	528	313
18	Clonmel	253	180
19	Richmond	166	113
20	Bury	605	240
21	Ayr	102	63
22	Chester	341	122
23	Wrexham	121	96
24	Brecon	231	137
25	Berwick-on-Tweed	54	42
26	Hamilton	611	76
27	Omagh	105	79
28	Bristol	812	392
29	Worcester	395	230
30	Burnley	260	146
31	Kingston-on-Thames	839	378
32	Bodmin	117	69
33	Halifax	464	223
34	Carlisle	108	59
35	Chichester	405	175
37	Winchester	530	263
38	Lichfield	348	217
39	Dorchester	233	136
40	Warrington	270	211
41	Cardiff	314	123
42	Perth	236	81
43	Oxford	260	125
44	Warley	541	226
45	Derby	559	221
47	Preston	378	142
48	Northampton	352	202
49	Reading	371	244
50	Maidstone	260	150
51	Pontefract	295	182
53	Shrewsbury	239	140
57	Hounslow	294	134
—	Winchester	—	—
62	Devizes	170	124
63	Ashton-under-Lyne	1,015	376
64	Lichfield	311	230
65	Pontefract	460	216
68	Newcastle-on-Tyne	472	162
71	Hamilton	640	138
72	Fort George	56	48
75	Aberdeen	157	77
79	Inverness	15	10
83	Belfast	511	206
87	Armagh	97	74
88	Galway	126	77
91	Stirling	278	132
—	Winchester	—	—
100	Birr	205	149
101	Tralee	279	210
102	Naas	213	147
	Total in Infantry Regimental Districts	22,799	10,499
Artillery Sub-Districts.	Sunderland	288	97
	Liverpool	227	118
	Great Yarmouth	630	331
	Devonport	166	118
	Newport, Mon.	251	170
	Gosport	166	109
	Dover	462	243
	Woolwich	503	294
	Edinburgh	85	59
	Aberdeen	84	36
	Londonderry	281	132
	Templemore	290	142
	Total in Artillery Sub-Districts	3,433	1,849
Approved by Commanding Royal Engineers	York	4	1
	Chester	42	42
	Colchester	16	3
	Devonport	18	10
	Gosport	26	24
	Edinburgh	2	2
	S.M.E., Chatham	79	79
	Total	187	161
Recruiting Districts	London	5,537	331
	Liverpool	560	110
	Dublin	922	49
	Total in Recruiting Districts	7,019	490
	At Head-quarters of Regiments	1,908	—
	General Total	35,346	11,999

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TABLE 14.—AGES of the RECRUITS who joined the Regular Army during 1891.

Corps.	Under 17 years.	17 and under 18 years.	18 and under 19 years.	19 and under 20 years.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 years and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry -	6	2	36	41	26	23	15	7	7	4	—	167
Cavalry of the Line -	107	12	1,338	775	568	305	208	138	127	26	2	3,606
Royal Artillery - -	254	19	2,291	946	504	308	273	187	152	27	—	4,961
Royal Engineers -	74	—	147	141	149	136	83	40	25	16	—	811
Foot Guards - -	32	4	551	421	206	151	119	57	58	5	—	1,604
Infantry of the Line -	769	284	11,728	4,325	2,211	1,407	991	621	464	93	87	22,980
Colonial Corps - -	9	1	79	92	132	94	136	72	77	89	—	781
Army Service Corps -	23	—	255	97	63	47	30	11	14	1	—	541
Ordnance Store Corps -	3	—	29	9	5	5	9	1	6	—	—	67
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	10	15	6	3	—	—	34
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	3	8	—	15
Medical Staff Corps -	6	—	171	79	44	19	21	14	8	11	—	373
Army Post Office Corps -	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	4
Corps of Army Signallers	—	—	—	27	27	26	26	19	7	3	—	135
Total - - -	1,283	322	16,625	6,954	3,936	2,532	1,929	1,175	951	283	89	36,079
	25,184				10,806							

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TABLE 15.—HEIGHTS, CHEST MEASUREMENTS, and WEIGHTS at date of enlistment of Recruits who joined the Regular Army during 1891.

Corps.	Heights.							Chest Measurements.						Weights.					
	Under 5 ft. 4 in.	5 ft. 4 in. to 5 ft. 5 in.	5 ft. 5 in. to 5 ft. 6 in.	5 ft. 6 in. to 5 ft. 7 in.	5 ft. 7 in. and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 33 inches.	33 inches and under 34 inches.	34 inches and under 35 inches.	35 inches and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 120 lbs.	120 lbs. and under 125 lbs.	125 lbs. and under 130 lbs.	130 lbs. and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	6	1	—	1	159	—	167	9	4	7	147	—	167	8	—	1	158	—	167
Cavalry of the Line	99	18	45	1,010	2,432	2	3,606	180	605	1,906	913	2	3,606	200	289	650	2,465	2	3,606
Royal Artillery	663	550	742	1,140	1,866	—	4,961	694	1,147	1,664	1,456	—	4,961	879	768	845	2,469	—	4,961
Royal Engineers	78	84	105	238	306	—	811	80	97	295	339	—	811	115	51	97	548	—	811
Foot Guards	29	2	2	5	1,566	—	1,604	61	213	578	752	—	1,604	45	60	138	1,361	—	1,604
Infantry of the Line	3,355	6,115	5,907	3,543	3,973	87	22,980	4,981	8,457	5,755	3,700	87	22,980	8,476	5,087	3,986	5,344	87	22,980
Colonial Corps	24	58	79	130	490	—	781	27	126	179	449	—	781	36	69	133	541	2	781
Army Service Corps	232	154	105	24	26	—	541	68	217	168	88	—	541	211	133	84	113	—	541
Ordnance Store Corps	11	13	15	5	23	—	67	3	2	18	44	—	67	20	11	13	23	—	67
Corps of Armourers	2	6	5	12	9	—	34	2	6	20	6	—	34	—	7	18	9	—	34
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	1	1	4	9	—	15	—	—	2	13	—	15	—	1	3	11	—	15
Medical Staff Corps	134	101	69	26	43	—	373	51	211	72	39	—	373	129	82	77	85	—	373
Army Post Office Corps	—	1	1	—	2	—	4	—	1	2	1	—	4	1	1	1	1	—	4
Corps of Army Signallers	1	20	27	17	70	—	135	3	62	64	6	—	135	29	23	24	59	—	135
Total	4,634	7,124	7,103	6,155	10,974	89	36,079	6,159	11,148	10,730	7,953	89	36,079	10,149	6,582	6,070	13,187	91	36,079

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TABLE 16.—NUMBER of RECRUITS joined at Home during the Year 1891, the Number of such Recruits who have become Non-effective within Three Months of the Date of Enlistment, and the Number serving at the expiration of Three Months from Date of Enlistment.

Month.	Number of Recruits joined at Home.	Casualties within three months of Date of Enlistment.								Total serving on Army Engagement at the expiration of Three Months from Date of Enlistment.
		Dead.	Deserted.	Claimed Discharge under sec. 81, Army Act, 1881.	Discharged for Fraudulent Enlistment or for making false answers on attestation.	Discharged as Invalids.	Discharged as not likely to become efficient Soldiers.	Discharged for other causes.	Total.	
January	3,655	4	103	140	22	1	36	14	320	3,335
February	2,915	4	78	145	13	1	35	19	295	2,620
March	2,546	2	61	107	16	4	28	16	234	2,312
April	2,353	4	73	111	13	4	18	17	240	2,113
May	2,031	1	87	85	15	2	23	14	227	1,804
June	2,394	—	82	89	14	2	23	17	227	2,167
July	2,600	—	88	83	23	—	40	16	250	2,350
August	3,234	2	85	129	11	5	38	22	292	2,942
September	3,193	1	85	122	10	8	47	17	290	2,903
October	3,763	4	94	134	19	4	45	16	316	3,447
November	3,352	2	106	146	24	2	37	20	337	3,015
December	2,928	—	101	124	18	2	32	33	310	2,618
Total	34,964	24	1,043	1,415	198	35	402	221	3,338	31,626
Proportion per 1,000 of Recruits joined	—	·69	29·83	40·47	5·66	1·0	11·50	6·32	95·47	904·53

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TABLE 17.—RE-ENGAGEMENTS and EXTENSIONS of SERVICE during 1891.

Corps.	Re-engagements while serving.					Men enlisted for short service who extended their engagement.											
						To complete a period of 12 years.						To complete other periods of service.					
	After 9 years' service.	After 10 years' service.	After 11 years' service.	After 12 years' service.	Total.	Under 3 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	Total.	Under 3 years' service.	After 3 years' service.	After 4 years' service.	After 5 years' service.	After 6 years' service.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1	2	17	1	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cavalry of the Line	2	4	148	19	173	1	5	6	31	268	311	—	—	—	—	—	—
Royal Artillery	49	62	259	15	385	4	180	178	129	430	921	—	—	—	—	—	—
Royal Engineers	13	15	65	6	99	1	4	14	28	236	283	92	3	—	—	—	95
Foot Guards	8	14	30	—	52	1	1	1	8	56	67	388	4	—	—	—	392
Infantry of the Line	162	125	645	70	1,002	57	90	106	316	1,364	1,933	1	—	—	—	1	2
Colonial Corps	3	—	19	—	22	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Army Service Corps	3	5	19	1	28	1	—	5	15	127	148	202	—	—	—	—	202
Ordnance Store Corps.	3	2	8	—	13	—	—	—	—	26	26	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Armourers	2	1	1	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	12	10	23	1	46	—	—	2	12	98	112	119	—	—	—	—	119
Total	258	240	1,234	113	1,845	65	280	312	539	2,606	3,802	802	7	—	—	1	810

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TABLE 18.—NUMBER of MEN reported as DISCHARGED from each Arm of the Service during 1891, causes of discharge, and the number of Pensions granted.

Corps	On completion of service.			As Invalids.	By indulgence.		By claim under the provisions of sec. 81 Army Act, 1881.	On conviction of making a false answer on attestation.	For misconduct.	Other causes.	Total.	Pensions granted.	
	After 21 years' service.	Prematurely, after 18 years' service. Royal Warrant for Pay, &c.	After 1st period.		Purchase.	Free.						Permanent.	Temporary.
Household Cavalry -	17	2	32	17	43	2	20	1	11	24	169	22	5
Cavalry of the Line -	87	16	60	299	246	29	264	35	91	59	1,186	140	112
Royal Artillery - -	263	80	171	437	209	63	261	25	310	128	1,947	458	146
Royal Engineers -	84	11	29	54	67	3	21	3	13	15	300	113	20
Foot Guards - -	31	4	15	104	31	6	112	17	49	70	439	43	14
Infantry of the Line -	551	125	453	2,001	886	175	858	179	1,055	400	6,683	1,074	815
Colonial Corps - -	15	—	17	76	21	7	—	—	16	10	162	17	25
Army Service Corps -	65	6	7	24	9	1	15	—	27	63	217	115	8
Ordnance Store Corps -	19	1	2	3	6	—	—	—	1	4	36	27	2
Corps of Armourers -	4	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	8	7	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	40	7	2	31	9	4	10	—	16	34	153	53	10
Total - -	1,176	253	788	3,048	1,527	290	1,561	260	1,590	807	11,300	2,069	1,157

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TABLE 19.—AGES of the men Discharged from each Arm of the Service during 1891.

Corps.	Under 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	Upwards of 40 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry -	23	7	17	9	11	15	11	9	5	3	7	6	10	7	6	4	2	—	—	2	2	13	—	169
Cavalry of the Line -	245	140	124	94	90	81	55	59	43	22	12	11	17	20	17	5	7	6	4	13	22	65	34	1,186
Royal Artillery - -	433	171	118	105	106	89	66	61	48	35	36	40	66	58	34	24	21	36	34	28	64	274	—	1,947
Royal Engineers -	11	17	25	18	22	8	17	17	9	9	7	5	7	6	4	4	9	5	10	6	21	63	—	300
Foot Guards - -	141	45	57	30	22	32	7	19	3	10	9	6	7	4	3	2	1	4	3	7	7	20	—	439
Infantry of the Line -	1613	624	521	481	468	502	373	278	184	124	134	204	150	108	71	63	53	65	64	64	151	396	—	6,691
Colonial Corps - -	9	6	4	6	11	15	16	13	10	5	8	6	6	6	7	7	2	3	1	1	—	20	—	162
Army Service Corps -	62	24	13	12	5	6	3	2	2	2	—	3	1	2	1	3	3	2	3	10	17	41	—	217
Ordnance Store Corps -	3	—	2	1	3	—	2	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	4	15	—	36
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	5	—	8
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	20	14	7	14	7	8	6	7	3	4	1	—	1	2	3	1	4	4	1	6	17	22	1	153
Total - -	2560	1048	888	770	745	756	556	465	310	214	214	281	266	213	147	113	102	125	123	137	306	934	35	11,308
		5,966										1,813												

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TABLE 20.—NUMBER of DESERTIONS from each Arm of the Service during 1891, showing the services of the men, the number who rejoined, and the nett loss from desertion.

Corps.	Under 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 9 months.	9 to 12 months.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years	Over 3 years.	Service not stated.	Total Deserted.	Proportion of Desertions per 1,000 Men.	Rejoined from Desertion.	No. of Deserters who having fraudulently enlisted have been held to serve in corps in which they have enlisted.	Nett loss from Desertion.	Proportion of nett loss from Desertion per 1,000 Men.
Household Cavalry -	1	3	—	—	4	—	1	4	—	9	7	2	—	7	6
Cavalry of the Line -	200	129	84	46	459	72	26	47	—	604	36	161	—	443	26
Royal Artillery -	268	95	73	65	501	120	60	75	—	756	22	280	—	476	14
Royal Engineers -	9	7	4	7	27	11	3	12	—	53	8	23	—	30	4
Foot Guards - -	60	20	11	8	99	16	9	23	—	147	28	50	—	97	18
Infantry of the Line -	870	396	299	305	1,870	655	203	281	—	3,009	24	1,157	—	1,852	15
Colonial Corps -	3	—	1	—	4	3	—	6	3	16	6	8	—	8	3
Army Service Corps -	16	6	—	3	25	6	2	3	—	36	12	18	—	18	6
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	—	3	4	1	—	2	3
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	3	4	2	2	11	1	5	4	—	21	9	7	—	14	6
Total -	1,430	660	475	436	3,001	884	309	457	3	4,654	23	1,707	266	2,681	13

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TABLE 21.—TRANSFERS from the Regular Army to the First Class Army Reserve during 1891.

Services.	Transfers from												
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Royal Malta Artillery.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	Corps of Army Signallers.	Total.
Under 3 years -	—	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	135	159
After 3 years -	—	4	39	83	302	5	—	190	1	33	—	—	657
After 4 years -	—	13	19	9	—	28	—	47	4	5	—	—	125
After 5 years -	—	169	19	30	1	289	—	27	15	32	—	—	582
After 6 years -	—	123	31	25	6	233	7	13	11	25	—	—	474
After 7 years -	—	860	1,691	123	536	11,057	4	44	16	48	—	—	14,379
After 8 years -	—	25	136	7	1	695	2	7	1	3	—	—	877
After 9 years -	—	7	12	2	5	15	—	4	2	3	—	—	50
After 10 years -	—	4	15	1	3	355	—	—	1	3	—	—	382
After 11 years -	—	3	6	1	—	12	—	1	1	—	—	—	24
After 12 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 13 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 14 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 15 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 16 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
After 17 years -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not reported -	—	7	—	—	—	112	—	—	—	—	—	—	119
TOTAL -	—	1,215	1,968	301	854	12,801	13	333	52	152	4	135	17,828
On completion of Short Service with the Colours	—	850	1,850	176	836	12,194	—	171	11	78	—	—	16,166
On conversion of Army Service -	—	365	118	125	18	607	13	162	41	74	4	135	1,662
Total as above -	—	1,215	1,968	301	854	12,801	13	333	52	152	4	135	17,828
Relegated - -	—	15	4	—	7	64	—	2	—	—	—	—	92
Re-transferred on demobilisation of Army Reserve -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total transferred to Army Reserve	—	1,230	1,972	301	861	12,865	13	335	52	152	4	135	17,920

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TABLE 22.

INCREASE and DECREASE of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men reported during each year from 1872 to 1891 inclusive.

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TABLE 22.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Non-Commissioned Officers

Year.	Effectives on 1st January in each year.	Increase.						*Number of the Recruits joined who were proved to have fraudulently enlisted.*	*Number of Deserters who were held to serve in the corps in which they fraudulently enlisted, and who are not included in column "From Desertion."*
		Recruits joined.	From Desertion.	From Army Reserve.	From Militia Reserve.	Other causes.	Total Increase.		
1872	183,620	17,791	1,855	20	—	—	19,666	—	—
1873	182,568	17,194	1,785	19	—	—	18,998	—	—
1874	178,337	20,640	2,052	27	—	—	22,719	—	—
1875	178,276	18,494	1,944	11	—	—	20,449	—	—
1876	175,856	29,370	2,063	21	—	—	31,454	—	—
1877	181,875	28,728	2,437	13	—	—	31,178	—	—
1878	182,332	28,325	2,751	13,125	21,730	—	65,931	—	—
1879	184,067	25,927	2,256	905	—	—	29,088	—	—
1880	183,942	25,622	1,557	3	—	—	27,182	—	—
1881	181,233	26,258	1,353	900	—	—	28,511	*312*	*481*
1882	181,742	23,802	1,297	10,840	—	—	35,939	*170*	*234*
1883	185,518	33,096	1,266	39	—	—	34,401	*170*	*182*
1884	173,529	35,653	1,568	1,415	—	—	38,636	*168*	*235*
1885	181,008	39,971	1,885	4,685	—	—	46,541	*251*	*298*
1886	192,929	39,409	1,864	31	—	—	41,304	*304*	*330*
1887	200,507	31,225	*2,061	29	—	—	33,315	*410*	**1,826*
1888	203,060	25,153	1,737	29	—	—	26,919	*133*	*271*
1889	202,761	29,401	1,526	27	—	37	30,991	*154*	*200*
1890	201,848	31,407	1,565	24	—	—	32,996	*147*	*197*
1891	202,116	36,003	1,707	30	—	—	37,740	*162*	*266*

* Including men who received the Queen's pardon under General Order 102 of 1887.

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and Men reported during each year from 1872 to 1891 inclusive.

Year.	Decrease.										Nett Increase.	Nett Decrease.	Effectives on 31 Dec. in each year.
	Dead.	Discharged.	Deserted.	To Army Reserve.	To Militia Reserve.	To Militia, Yeomanry, and Volunteers.	* Given up as Deserters.	Struck off on Conviction of Fraudulent Enlistment.	Other causes.	Total Decrease.			
1872	2,546	11,553	5,861	17	—	—	343	—	398	20,718	—	1,052	182,568
1873	2,046	13,513	5,702	1,030	—	—	435	—	503	23,229	—	4,231	178,337
1874	2,011	13,255	5,572	744	—	—	588	—	610	22,780	—	61	178,276
1875	2,161	14,235	4,382	712	—	—	549	—	830	22,869	—	2,420	175,856
1876	1,998	16,209	4,878	712	—	—	663	—	975	25,435	6,019	—	181,875
1877	1,708	15,723	5,058	6,039	—	—	830	763	600	30,721	457	—	182,332
1878	2,171	15,198	5,406	17,697	21,637	—	727	804	556	64,196	1,735	—	184,067
1879	4,069	15,206	4,067	4,120	—	—	627	588	536	29,213	—	125	183,942
1880	3,186	15,866	4,823	4,936	—	—	243	168	659	29,891	—	2,709	181,233
1881	2,570	14,209	4,394	6,108	..	253	141	†—	327	28,002	509	—	181,742
1882	2,140	15,612	4,143	8,370	—	675	130	—	‡1,093	32,163	3,776	—	185,518
1883	1,707	16,072	3,707	23,528	—	788	109	—	479	46,390	—	11,989	175,529
1884	1,521	12,939	4,478	11,199 §	—	736	154	—	130	31,157	7,479	—	181,008
1885	2,588	12,726	5,147	12,775 ‖	—	636	191	—	557	34,620	11,921	—	192,929
1886	2,721	13,311	5,402	11,210	—	587	240	—	255	33,726	7,578	—	200,507
1887	1,946	11,905	5,355	10,701	—	580	143	—	132	30,762	2,553	—	203,060
1888	1,852	11,894	4,291	8,409	—	579	90	—	103	27,218	—	299	202,761
1889	1,869	12,342	4,261	12,692	—	654	86	—	—	31,904	—	913	201,848
1890	1,738	11,718	4,134	14,199	—	662	75	—	202	32,728	268	—	202,116
1891	1,795	11,300	4,631	17,894	—	735	63	—	275	36,693	1,047	—	203,163

* Prior to 1872 the men who were "Given up as Deserters" to other corps are included in the column headed "Other causes."

† Included with discharged.

‡ Including 609 promoted to Warrant Officers.

§ Including 8,543 on demobilisation.

‖ Including 2,578 on demobilisation.

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TABLE 23.—NUMBER of RECRUITS who have joined the Service and short

Corps.	1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.	
	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.
Household Cavalry	174	—	147	—	168	—	128	—	145	—	136	—	150	—
Cavalry of the Line	567	1,920	376	2,563	258	2,323	180	1,717	117	1,271	66	1,991	61	2,975
Royal Artillery -	1,039	2,472	704	3,304	487	2,341	563	3,196	486	3,377	161	3,822	255	3,767
Royal Engineers -	29	655	49	1,195	45	223	40	402	34	368	37	476	38	527
Foot Guards -	161	1,064	68	862	49	871	58	898	55	563	34	592	74	1,653
Infantry of the Line	1,621	18,266	910	17,238	606	17,787	681	16,900	615	18,560	593	14,686	752	21,712
Colonial Corps -	217	45	172	14	186	5	199	10	208	80	200	—	377	—
Army Service Corps	174	215	80	241	155	97	4	222	13	159	14	545	14	308
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	15	47	27	41	21	58	16	36	1	66	2	68
*Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	—
Medical Staff Corps	109	—	52	288	7	251	6	339	4	149	10	272	6	342
Army Post Office Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	100	—	2
Corps of Army Signallers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
General Total -	4,091	24,637	2,573	25,752	1,988	23,939	1,880	23,742	1,695	24,563	1,252	22,550	1,742	31,354
	28,728		28,325		25,927		25,622		26,258		23,802		33,096	

N.B.—General Order 34 of 1874 defined the proportions in which Recruits for long and short service respectively were permitted to be enlisted for the several arms of the service.

Under General Orders 51 of 1874 and 53 of 1875 recruits for the Royal Artillery and Foot Guards were permitted to be enlisted for long and short service indiscriminately.

Under Army Circular 1874 (Cl. 67) short service in the Cavalry, Artillery, and Engineers consisted of 8 years in the ranks and 4 years with the reserve, and in the Infantry and Army Service Corps of 6 years in the ranks and 6 years with the reserve.

Under General Order 18 of 1878 all enlistments for Infantry of the Line, except men specially enlisted and boys under 16 years of age, were to be for *short service.*

* Brought on the Regimental Establishment as a Corps on 1st April 1889.

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since 1876, showing those who enlisted in each Arm for long service respectively.

1884.		1885.		1886.		1887.		1888.		1889.		1890.		1891.	
Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	Short.	Long.	hort.	Long.	Short.
214	—	197	—	156	—	157	—	129	—	168	—	144	—	167	—
61	3,616	54	3,465	72	4,660	65	2,704	75	2,374	69	2,482	76	2,817	116	3,490
307	4,819	191	5,563	206	5,721	199	4,775	255	4,024	230	5,339	217	5,252	235	4,726
61	837	87	1,051	78	846	52	953	78	623	79	866	88	896	86	725
42	1,670	28	1,076	40	992	45	1,221	40	784	40	1,167	28	1,193	37	1,567
751	21,613	640	26,071	712	24,262	722	18,904	683	15,159	687	17,015	733	18,563	738	22,242
248	—	306	16	390	47	259	144	185	92	204	65	352	149	540	165
14	732	19	465	14	614	24	560	18	375	8	562	14	443	19	522
6	70	5	139	2	54	1	49	9	17	2	29	4	17	3	64
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	35	—	34	—
16	—	15	—	3	—	10	—	9	—	4	—	11	—	15	—
9	559	3	578	15	519	9	369	3	147	4	357	12	346	5	368
—	8	--	2	—	6	—	3	—	74	—	13	—	17	—	4
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	135
1,729	33,924	1,545	38,426	1,688	37,721	1,543	29,6[illegible]2	1,484	23,669	1,506	27,895	1,714	29,693	1,995	34,008
35,653		39,971		39,409		31,225		25,153		29,401		31,407		36,003	

Under General Order 80 of 1881 short service in the Cavalry, Artillery, Engineers, Foot Guards, Infantry of the Line, and Departmental Corps, consists of 7 years in the ranks and 5 years with the reserve.

Under General Order 90 of 1883 short service in the Foot Guards consisted of 3 years in the ranks and 9 years with the reserve.

Under General Order 66 of 1887 short service in the Royal Engineers consists of 7 years in the ranks and 5 years in the reserve; or 3 years in the ranks and 9 years in the reserve; and in the Army Service Corps and Medical Staff Corps of 3 years in the ranks and 9 years in the reserve.

Under Army Order 254 of 1890 short service in the Foot Guards consists of 7 years in the ranks and 5 years in the reserve, or 3 years in the ranks and 9 years in the reserve.

Under Army Order 11 of 1891 short service in the Medical Staff Corps consists of 7 years in the ranks and 5 years in the reserve; or 3 years in the ranks and 9 years in the reserve.

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TABLE 24.—NUMBER of RECRUITS enlisted, attested, finally approved, and sent to regiments, showing the number rejected, deserted, &c., and the nett result of recruiting, in the UNITED KINGDOM, during each year from 1872 to 1891.

Year.	Enlisted.	After Enlistment.				Attested.	After Attestation.			Finally approved.	After final Approval.			Sent to or joined regiments.	Year.
		Primarily rejected.	Absconded.	Paid Smart.	Other causes.		Rejected.	Deserted.	Other causes.		Deserted.	Purchased discharge.	Other causes.		
1872	28,426	6,341	566	2,470	68	18,976	1,038	256	51	17,650	119	15	12	17,507	1872
1873	25,634	5,387	519	1,990	84	17,661	678	304	78	16,602	—	—	—	16,602	1873
1874	30,356	5,415	677	2,588	159	21,517	793	323	89	20,312	—	—	—	20,312	1874
1875	27,469	4,700	659	2,468	125	19,517	677	361	104	18,375	—	—	—	18,375	1875
1876	44,713	8,317	1,064	4,143	233	30,985	1,150	562	157	29,116	—	—	—	29,116	1876
1877	43,991	8,650	1,035	3,739	204	30,334	1,322	605	127	28,280	—	—	—	28,280	1877
1878	42,734	3,441	903	3,248	217	29,925	1,115	525	176	28,109	—	—	—	28,109	1878
1879	—	—	—	—	—	27,108*	1,061	345	108	25,594	—	—	—	25,594	1879
	Persons served with Notices by Recruiters.	Rejected prior to Attestation.	Failed to come up for Attestation.												
1880	44,298	10,572	6,490		99	27,137	1,149	343	97	25,535	—	—	—	25,535	1880
1881	45,360	10,394	7,611		162	27,193	1,288	336	49	25,499	—	—	—	25,499	1881
1882	45,385	11,271	8,841		164	25,109	1,216	279	70	23,555	—	—	—	23,555	1882
1883	61,804	15,389	11,285		343	34,787	1,523	283	48	32,924	—	—	—	32,924	1883
1884	65,300	17,050	9,503		539	38,209	2,093	278	71	35,754	—	—	—	35,754	1884
1885	68,536	17,521	8,660		66	42,289	2,343	344	74	39,552	—	—	—	39,552	1885
1886	71,786	20,183	9,725		79	41,799	2,410	370	48	38,953	—	—	—	38,953	1886
1887	58,645	18,001	7,463		122	33,059	2,003	279	62	30,751	—	—	—	30,751	1887
1888	47,503	14,973	5,918		20	26,592	1,616	214	40	24,726	—	—	—	24,726	1888
1889	53,676	15,680	6,660		10	31,326	1,994	200	5	29,117	—	—	—	29,117	1889
1890	61,434	18,153	9,628		48	33,605	2,365	245	59	30,918	—	—	—	30,918	1890
1891	69,902	20,359	10,930		11	38,602	2,808	325	124	35,346	—	—	—	35,346	1891

* By section 77, Army Discipline and Regulation Act, 1879, it is provided that Enlistment and Attestation are identical.

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TABLE 24—*continued.*

Year.	Recruiting Agencies.								Where raised.				
	Head Quarter Recruits.	District and Sub-District Recruits.				Artillery Sub-Districts.	Cavalry Districts.	Total.	In England.	In Scotland.	In Ireland.	Total.	Year.
		Brigade and Regimental Depôts.	Staff of Reserve Forces.	Pensioners.	Line Parties.								
1872	5,859	—	—	6,274	5,374	—	—	17,507	14,525	1,096	1,886	17,507	1872
1873*	4,862	2,216	1,130	4,603	3,566	225	—	16,602	13,431	1,057	2,114	16,602	1873
1874	5,404	4,236	2,451	4,477	3,183	561	—	20,312	15,676	1,789	2,847	20,312	1874
1875	4,589	4,593†	1,970	4,060	2,565	579	19	18,375	14,285	1,540	2,550	18,375	1875
1876	6,274	7,745†	4,469	6,470	3,237	920	1	29,116	23,228	2,267	3,621	29,116	1876
1877	5,506	7,054†	5,551	6,481	3,044	644	—	28,280	22,929	2,047	3,304	28,280	1877
1878	5,786	7,162†	5,126	6,575	2,960	500	—	28,109	22,134	2,545	3,430	28,109	1878
1879	4,941	6,753†	4,929	5,999	2,825	147	—	25,594	19,994	2,185	3,415	25,594	1879
1880	5,469	6,656†	5,715	5,088	2,310	297	—	25,535	19,810	1,894	3,831	25,535	1880
1881	4,387	6,653†	7,569	4,160	2,087	643	—	25,499	20,683	1,876	2,940	25,499	1881
1882	3,216	5,347†	8,181	2,869	2,832	1,110	—	23,555	18,840	2,250	2465	23,555	1882
1883	2,650	5,152†	13,829	3,277	5,093	2,923	—	32,924	27,025	2,920	2,979	32,924	1883
1884	2,847	6,188†	15,788	2,762	4,452	3,717	—	35,754	28,203	3,668	3,883	35,754	1884
1885	2,895	8,296†	17,724	2,651	3,697	4,289	—	39,552	31,149	4,112	4,291	39,552	1885
1886	2,657	7,574†	18,252	2,531	3,904	4,035	—	38,953	30,764	3,780	4,409	38,953	1886
1887	2,559	6,609†	13,576	1,934	2,966	3,107	—	30,751	23,958	3,196	3,597	30,751	1887
1888	1,684	4,576†	11,792	1,643	2,712	2,319	—	24,726	19,427	2,506	2,793	24,726	1888
1889	1,740	5,175†	13,499	1,994	3,818	2,891	—	29,117	24,077	2,350	2,690	29,117	1889
1890	1,556	6,092†	13,658	2,185	4,447	2,980	—	30,918	24,846	2,485	3,587	30,918	1890
1891	1,908	3,122†	15,083	1,856	9,757	3,433	—	35,346	28,863	3,036	3,447	35,346	1891

* The new system for the localisation of the forces under which the country was divided for recruiting purposes into 66 Sub-Districts came into operation on the 1st April 1873, from which date the old Recruiting Districts (with the exception of London and Dublin) were abolished.

† Including the Staff of the London and Dublin, and since 1884, the Liverpool, Recruiting Districts.

N.B.—Recruits raised for the Colonial Corps and others enlisted *abroad* are not included in this table.

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TABLE 25.—AGES of the RECRUITS who joined the Regular Army in each Year from 1874 to 1891.

Year.	Under 17 years.	17 and under 18 years.	18 and under 19 years.	19 and under 20 years.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 years and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
1874 - - -	913	290	5,782	5,000	2,854	2,044	1,455	1,173	1,046	95	1	20,653
1875 - - -	948	210	5,173	4,260	2,497	1,763	1,389	1,092	1,032	146	—	18,510
1876 - - -	965	234	7,620	6,378	3,782	2,947	2,296	1,817	1,670	1,659	—	29,368
1877 - - -	868	190	7,375	5,961	4,102	2,962	2,383	2,049	2,022	773	—	28,685
1878 - - -	976	195	6,822	5,474	4,015	3,210	2,586	2,125	2,294	338	—	28,035
1879 - - -	932	135	5,359	4,913	4,282	2,881	2,493	2,190	2,348	363	—	25,896
1880 - - -	1,021	156	6,611	5,510	3,667	2,525	2,081	1,785	1,968	289	—	25,613
1881 - - -	933	77	3,901	9,508	3,713	2,426	1,959	1,650	1,764	249	—	26,180
1882 - - -	999	28	199	11,992	3,805	2,158	1,683	1,240	1,323	271	114	23,812
1883 - - -	1,193	59	7,988	11,573	4,491	2,743	1,870	1,481	1,459	238	23	33,118
1884 - - -	1,252	65	10,950	10,219	4,060	2,861	2,199	1,828	1,852	382	—	35,668
1885 - - -	1,060	39	13,644	10,422	4,345	3,133	2,458	1,919	2,228	682	43	39,973
1886 - - -	1,170	33	14,626	9,224	4,337	3,153	2,391	1,997	2,071	339	68	39,409
1887 - - -	1,092	74	12,575	6,307	3,334	2,608	2,050	1,536	1,394	259	5	31,234
1888 - - -	1,080	135	10,617	5,301	2,805	1,998	1,393	952	692	153	30	25,156
1889 - - -	1,121	247	14,053	5,779	3,165	2,042	1,395	795	670	129	9	29,405
1890 - - -	1,195	259	15,386	6,463	3,112	2,008	1,327	837	630	171	19	31,407
1891 - - -	1,283	322	16,625	6,954	3,936	2,532	1,929	1,175	951	283	89	36,079

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TABLE 26.—RE-ENGAGEMENTS and Extensions of Service under the Army Enlistment Act of 1870.

Period.	Re-engagements while serving.								On completing first term.	After discharge.*	Total.	Men enlisted for short service who extended their engagement.		Year.
	After 6 years' service.	After 7 years' service.	After 8 years' service.	After 9 years' service.	After 10 years' service.	After 11 years' service.	Service not stated.	Total.				To complete a period of 12 years.	To complete periods of less than 12 years.	
1872	1,096	834	527	235	109	151	—	2,952	Included in preceding column.	3	2,955	—	—	1872
1873	1,265	746	597	362	131	182	8	3,291		6	3,297	—	—	1873
1874	438	597	824	624	177	212	7	2,879		13	2,892	6	—	1874
1875	109	183	1,649	685	245	202	—	3,073		55	3,128	135	—	1875
1876	55	71	2,931	932	253	265	—	4,507		111	4,618	375	—	1876
1877	34	48	1,869	863	280	302	—	3,396		69	3,465	849	—	1877
1878	19	42	1,472	596	447	450	—	3,026		14	3,040	871	—	1878
1879	14	17	257	491	300	792	—	1,871		8	1,879	767	179	1879
1880	—	—	25	1,448	420	844	—	2,737		—	2,737	649	188	1880
1881	—	—	3	316	513	920	—	1,752		—	1,752	479	265	1881
1882	—	3	1	97	111	1,720	—	1,932		—	1,932	672	442	1882
1883	—	—	6	86	115	1,381	—	1,588	—	—	1,588	††2,455	‡6,048	1883
1884	—	—	—	88	142	1,284	—	1,514	—	—	1,514	1,836	2,272	1884
1885	—	—	—	98	109	1,357	—	1,564	—	—	1,564	2,308	1,845	1885
1886	—	—	—	106	142	1,344	—	1,592	—	—	1,592	2,508	598	1886
1887	—	—	—	201	196	1,294	—	1,691	—	—	1,691	2,346	483	1887
1888	—	—	—	313	351	1,802	—	2,466	—	—	2,466	2,805	507	1888
1889	—	—	—	202	226	1,501	—	1,929	—	—	1,929	3,302	546	1889
1890	—	—	—	222	245	1,366	—	1,833	—	—	1,833	3,589	964	1890
1891	—	—	—	258	240	1,347	—	1,845	—	—	1,845	3,802	810	1891

* By Royal Warrant of 27th February 1869, re-engagements after discharge were ordered to be discontinued. This restriction was withdrawn by Army Circular, 1875 (clause 109), and again revived by Army Circular, 1877 (clause 58).

† A gratuity authorised to certain classes of men to extend their service (Army Circular, 1883, clause 111).

‡ A gratuity authorised to certain classes of men in India to extend their service (Indian Army Circular, 30 July 1883).

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TABLE 27.—NUMBER of MEN DISCHARGED during each year from 1872 to 1891, causes of discharge, and number of PENSIONS granted, whether permanent or temporary.

Year.	On completion of service.			As invalids.	By indulgence.		By Claim under the provisions of sec. 78 of Army Discipline and Regulation Act, 1879, and sec. 81 Army Act, 1881.	For misconduct.	For other causes.	Total.	Pensions granted.		Year.
	After 21 years' service.	After 18 years' service to Pension.	After first period.		Purchase.	Free.					Permanent.	Temporary.	
1872	1,177	71	1,080	3,868	2,839	851	—	1,683	126	11,695	2,196	2,482	1872
1873	1,973	163	1,129	3,456	2,994	914	—	2,065	819	13,513	2,868	1,806	1873
1874	1,761	93	2,072	3,996	2,653	818	—	1,648	223	13,264	3,061	1,010	1874
1875	2,621	41	2,658	3,593	2,847	620	—	1,667	191	14,238	3,965	1,593	1875
1876	5,055	51	1,957	3,955	2,853	461	—	1,682	195	16,209	6,847	1,571	1876
1877	3,852	107	1,815	4,278	2,970	375	—	2,003	323	15,723	5,810	1,267	1877
1878	2,534	1,511	860	5,438	2,058	261	—	1,811	725	15,198	6,738	1,488	1878
1879	4,878	145	987	4,070	2,144	193	353	2,091	342	15,203	7,049	1,423	1879
1880	4,403	48	1,456	3,964	2,645	247	976	1,826	301	15,866	5,716	1,585	1880
1881	3,468	20	1,205	3,712	2,171	337	1,245	1,474	577	14,209	4,320	1,718	1881
1882	3,067	228	2,946	3,545	2,209	469	1,179	1,294	675	15,612	4,121	1,742	1882
1883	1,547	52	4,897	3,374	2,108	818	1,505	1,059	712	16,072	2,716	1,559	1883
1884	1,462	35	2,250	2,962	1,853	871	1,750	940	816	12,939	2,427	1,197	1884
1885	1,569	149	1,735	3,581	1,448	362	1,909	1,008	965	12,726	2,648	1,196	1885
1886	1,681	287	2,136	2,789	1,770	312	1,664	1,332	1,340	13,311	2,659	1,014	1886
1887	1,486	378	1,321	2,646	1,493	252	1,280	1,854	1,195	11,905	2,505	845	1887
1888	1,757	424	1,638	2,750	1,339	264	918	2,020	784	11,894	2,844	918	1888
1889	1,590	584	1,692	2,908	1,682	368	1,042	1,636	840	12,342	2,907	1,059	1889
1890	1,126	431	1,071	3,321	1,584	363	1,313	1,603	906	11,718	2,157	1,320	1890
1891	1,176	253	788	3,048	1,527	290	1,561	1,590	1,067	11,300	2,069	1,157	1891

N.B.—Men discharged on reduction of Establishment are included in the column headed "For other causes."

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TABLE 28.—SERVICES of DESERTERS during each year from 1872 to 1891, the number who rejoined the Service, and proportion of Deserters to 1,000 men of the average strength.

Year.	Under 3 months.	3 to 6 months.	6 to 12 months.	Under one year.	1 to 2 years.	Over 2 years.	Service not stated.	Total Deserted.	Proportion of Deserters to 1,000 Men.	Rejoined from Desertion.	Deserters held to serve in corps into which they have fraudulently enlisted.	Nett loss from Desertion.	Proportion of nett loss from Desertion to 1,000 men.	Year.
1872	626	562	908	2,096	1,507	2,237	21	5,861	32	1,855	—	4,006	22	1872
1873	861	642	723	2,226	954	2,491	31	5,702	32	1,785	—	3,917	22	1873
1874	1,219	807	819	2,845	670	2,044	23	5,582	31	2,052	—	3,530	20	1874
1875	898	547	776	2,221	682	1,468	2	4,373	25	1,944	—	2,429	14	1875
1876	1,315	675	723	2,713	717	1,405	—	4,835	27	2,063	—	2,772	16	1876
1877	1,369	801	1,002	3,172	672	1,147	—	4,991	27	2,437	—	2,554	14	1877
1878	1,416	769	932	3,117	936	1,153	200	5,406	28	2,751	—	2.655	14	1878
1879	1,062	618	782	2,462	606	1,051	27	4,146	23	2,256	—	1,890	10	1879
1880	1,141	560	850	2,551	713	1,383	186	4,833	26	*1,557	—	3,276	18	1880
1881	1,078	625	731	2,434	609	1,358	11	4,412	24	1,353	481	2,578	14	1881
1882	939	574	715	2,228	673	1,190	54	4,145	23	1,297	234	2,614	14	1882
1883	977	536	593	2,106	595	1,010	6	3,717	21	1,266	182	2,269	13	1883
1884	1,374	742	935	3,051	560	851	16	4,478	25	1,568	235	2,675	15	1884
1885	1,688	863	1,027	3,578	726	844	10	5,158	27	1,885	298	2,975	15	1885
1886	1,723	763	999	3,485	889	1,049	—	5,423	28	1,864	330	3,229	16	1886
1887	1,397	746	1,065	3,208	996	1,098	59	5,361	27	†2,061	†1,847	1,453	7	1887
1888	772	528	831	2,131	1,043	1,156	—	4,330	21	1,737	271	2,322	11	1888
1889	823	470	724	2,017	818	1,401	26	4,262	21	1,526	200	2,536	13	1889
1890	1,066	489	799	2,354	778	1,061	—	4,193	21	1,565	197	2,431	12	1890
1891	1,430	660	911	3,001	884	766	3	4,654	23	1,707	266	2,681	13	1891

N.B.—By Army Circular, 1876 (clause 59), the reward for the detection of deserters fraudulently enlisting into the Army was raised from 10*s.* to 1*l.*

* The reduction in the number "rejoined from desertion" may in part be attributed to the action of the Army Discipline and Regulation Act, whereby men who are discovered to have fraudulently enlisted are tried for that offence and dealt with in the corps into which they have fraudulently enlisted, instead of being relegated to their former corps and tried for desertion.

† Including men who received the Queen's pardon under General Order 102 of 1887.

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TABLE 29.—RETURN showing the proportion of DESERTIONS from the ARMY to the RECRUITS joined as reported during each year from 1872 to 1891.

Year.	Recruits Joined.	*Number of Recruits joined who were proved to have fraudulently enlisted.*	Deser-tions.	Per-centage of Deserters to Recruits.	Nett loss from Desertion.	Per-centage of nett loss to Recruits.
1872	17,791	—	5,861	33	4,006	22
1873	17,194	—	5,702	33	3,917	23
1874	20,640	—	5,582	27	3,530	17
1875	18,494	—	4,373	24	2,429	13
1876	29,370	—	4,835	17	2,772	9
1877	28,728	—	4,991	17	2,554	9
1878	28,325	—	5,406	19	2,655	9
1879	25,927	—	4,146	16	1,890	7
1880	25,622	—	4,833	19	*3,276	13
1881	26,258	*312*	4,412	17	2,578	10
1882	23,802	*170*	4,145	17	2,614	11
1883	33,096	*170*	3,717	11	2,269	7
1884	35,653	*168*	4,478	12	2,675	7·5
1885	39,971	*251*	5,158	13	2,975	7·5
1886	39,409	*304*	5,423	13·7	3,229	8·2
1887	31,225	*410*	5,361	17·2	1,453	4·7
1888	25,153	*133*	4,330	17	2,322	9·2
1889	29,401	*154*	4,262	14·5	2,536	8·6
1890	31,407	*147*	4,193	13·3	2,431	7·7
1891	36,003	*162*	4,654	12·9	2,681	7·4

* The increase in the nett loss from desertion may in part be attributed to the action of the Army Act, whereby men who are discovered to have fraudulently enlisted are tried for that offence and dealt with in the corps into which they have fraudulently enlisted, instead of being relegated to their former corps and tried for desertion.

By General Order 7 of 1872 the period of absence after which a soldier is struck off the strength of his regiment as a deserter was reduced from two months to 21 days.

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TABLE 30.—SERVICES of MEN transferred from the Regular Army to the 1st Class Army Reserve under the Army Enlistment Act of 1870.

Year.	Services of Men transferred.																	Total.	On completion of Short Service with the Colours.	On conversion of Army Service.	Retransferred on demobilisation of Army Reserve.	Relegated.	Not stated.	Total transferred to Army Reserve.	Year.
	Under 3 years.	After 3 years.	After 4 years.	After 5 years.	After 6 years.	After 7 years.	After 8 years.	After 9 years.	After 10 years.	After 11 years.	After 12 years.	After 13 years.	After 14 years.	After 15 years.	After 16 years.	After 17 years.	Service not stated.								
1872	—	2	1	—	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	5	17	—	17	—	—	—	17	1872
1873	—	280	170	101	70	95	79	36	29	17	43	53	34	22	—	—	1	1,030	—	1,030	—	—	—	1,030	1873
1874	—	410	80	43	44	44	47	25	8	3	5	11	10	5	1	1	7	744	—	744	—	—	—	744	1874
1875	—	230	145	98	62	51	66	21	13	14	2	3	1	4	—	—	2	712	—	712	—	—	—	712	1875
1876	—	45	17	36	547	19	22	11	4	5	—	1	—	2	—	—	3	712	524	185	—	—	3	712	1876
1877	—	614	712	683	3,316	309	176	143	56	19	20	10	—	3	1	—	—	6,062	3,013	3,049	—	—	—	6,062	1877
1878	—	115	109	114	3,958	110	107	61	61	30	11	9	12	1	—	—	33	4,731	3,858	840	12,979	—	33	17,710	1878
1879	—	49	16	23	3,975	7	15	9	8	8	1	1	2	1	—	—	3	4,118	3,962	153	—	—	3	4,118	1879
1880	—	45	49	192	4,269	342	6	22	3	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	7	4,938	4,583	348	—	—	7	4,938	1880
1881	—	42	17	499	4,198	522	165	166	377	60	8	8	7	—	3	1	—	6,073	4,444	1,629	—	—	—	6,073	1881
1882	57	169	345	879	4,611	368	74	51	85	118	26	16	18	8	4	4	77	6,910	4,802	2,108	1,460	—	—	8,370	1882
1883	2	27	35	301	12,409	600	1450	37	51	29	—	—	—	1	1	—	48	14,991	14,279	712	8,538	—	—	23,529	1883
1884	53	90	99	566	8,067	274	1683	45	40	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	245	11,194	10,163	1,031	7	—	—	11,201	1884
1885	23	103	62	309	7,504	574	1377	39	17	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	117	10,128	9,560	568	2,578	69	—	12,775	1885
1886	47	639	200	962	7,025	213	1752	96	62	22	—	1	—	—	—	—	63	11,082	9,001	2,081	15	113	—	11,210	1886
1887	7	839	97	1958	4,775	965	1373	134	392	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	10,612	7,251	3,361	—	136	—	10,748	1887
1888	85	763	142	1515	1,060	1894	760	97	965	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	8,350	5,091	3,259	—	73	—	8,423	1888
1889	154	815	183	922	665	7280	1036	95	1480	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,669	10,226	2,443	—	57	—	12,726	1889
1890	161	395	192	675	514	9941	556	88	923	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	60	14,128	12,085	2,043	—	72	—	14,200	1890
1891	159	657	125	582	474	14379	877	50	382	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	119	17,828	16,166	1,662	—	92	—	17,920	1891

N.B.—By G.O. 92 of 1877 cavalry soldiers having four years' service and upwards were permitted to transfer their services to the Army Reserve.

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TABLE 31.—Detail of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked from Home for Foreign Service during 1891, specifying the ages of the men embarked with detachments.

Corps.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.														Total of each Arm.
	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total Regiments.	Under 18 years of age.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	Over 30 years.	Not reported.	Total Detachments.	
FOR INDIA.																					
Cavalry of the Line	1	46	7	527	580	19	—	47	249	122	73	45	28	15	9	3	1	2	9	—	622	1,202
Royal Artillery	6	43	10	656	709	16	1	17	710	208	109	85	57	30	16	12	10	7	25	—	1,303	2,012
Infantry of the Line	1	37	19	588	644	173	1	158	4,803	1,723	913	444	299	167	100	49	39	27	80	—	8,976	9,620
Corps of Armourers	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	4	6	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	14	15
Total	—	127	36	1,771	1,934	208	2	222	5,762	2,057	1,101	575	384	213	125	64	51	36	115	—	10,915	12,849
FOR THE COLONIES.																					
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	31	7	—	—	1	—	3	—	—	5	—	—	48	48
Royal Artillery	3	23	8	434	465	22	116	118	74	49	41	46	34	15	7	6	7	7	29	—	571	1,036
Royal Engineers	1	5	2	84	91	3	—	3	5	19	19	31	27	30	14	7	7	3	8	—	176	267
Infantry of the Line	4	160	55	2,789	3,004	61	23	542	708	459	238	168	191	69	56	32	13	8	31	15	2,614	5,618
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	2	3	5	2	1	1	2	15	—	33	33
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	2	3	4	2	--	—	2	2	—	13	—	33	33
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	2	2	—	—	—	8	8
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	7	13	8	7	6	7	11	8	7	7	—	15	—	99	99
Total	—	188	65	3,307	3,560	87	142	672	835	544	309	259	266	132	91	57	39	25	111	15	3,584	7,144
FOR EGYPT, &c.																					
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	--	—	—	2	—	2	2
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	1	7	5	1	2	1	--	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	17
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	--	--	--	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	3	3
Infantry of the Line	1	41	15	676	732	11	53	29	74	66	42	14	10	7	25	8	6	2	—	—	347	1,079
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	--	4	--	2	1	2	3	—	2	3	1	5	—	23	23
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	--	1	—	—	—	--	--	--	—	—	—	—	1	1
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	--	1	—	—	—	3	3
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	5	4	4	4	2	3	4	2	1	—	6	—	40	40
Total	—	41	15	676	732	12	60	39	84	73	49	19	14	13	33	12	11	3	14	—	436	1,168
General Total	—	356	116	5,754	6,226	307	204	933	6,681	2,674	1,459	853	664	358	249	133	101	64	240	15	14,935	21,161

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TABLE 32.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked for INDIA during 1891.

	From Home.							From Colonies.							From Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	1	46	7	527	580	622	1,202	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1,202
Royal Artillery	6	43	10	656	709	1,303	2,012	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	2,012
Infantry of the Line	1	37	10	588	644	8,976	9,620	—	4	—	1	5	—	5	1	40	11	625	676	—	676	2	10,301
Corps of Armourers	—	1	—	—	1	14	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	16
Total	—	127	36	1,771	1,934	10,915	12,849	—	4	—	1	5	—	5	—	41	11	625	677	—	677	—	13,531

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TABLE 33.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked for the COLONIES during 1891.

—	From Home.							From India.							From Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	48	48	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	48
Royal Artillery -	3	23	8	434	465	571	1,036	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1,036
Royal Engineers -	1	5	2	84	91	176	267	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	267
Infantry of the Line	4	160	55	2,789	3,004	2,614	5,618	—	—	—	—	—	36	36	2	82	32	1,515	1,629	—	1,629	6	7,283
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	33	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	33	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	99	99	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	99
Total - -	—	188	65	3,307	3,560	3,584	7,144	—	—	—	—	—	36	36	—	82	32	1,515	1,629	—	1,629	—	8,809

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TABLE 34.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked for EGYPT during 1891.

—	From Home.							From India.							From Colonies.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	¼	10	2	135	147	—	147	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	¼	149
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	17	17	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	17	—	20
Infantry of the Line	1	41	15	676	732	347	1,079	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	88	30	1,601	1,714	15	1,729	3	2,808
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	23	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	40	40	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	40
Total	—	41	15	676	732	436	1,168	—	10	2	135	147	—	147	—	83	30	1,601	1,714	32	1,746	—	3,061

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TABLE 35.—Detail of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked at Home from Foreign Service during 1891, specifying the circumstances under which the men came home.

Corps.	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.						Total of each arm.
	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total Regiments.	Invalids.	Time expired men.	To join Army Reserve.	To join Depôt. or Home Battalion.	Other causes.	Total Detachments.	
FROM INDIA.												
Cavalry of the Line	¾	34	6	305	345	151	21	221	29	12	434	779
Royal Artillery	5	35	13	553	601	318	101	647	96	53	1,215	1,816
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1
Infantry of the Line	2	85	30	1,191	1,306	1,080	223	7,302	323	103	9,094	10,400
Corps of Armourers	—	3	—	—	3	5	2	—	3	—	10	13
Total	—	157	49	2,049	2,255	1,555	347	8,230	451	171	10,754	13,009
FROM THE COLONIES.												
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	19	—	3	5	—	27	27
Royal Artillery	5	29	8	498	535	88	22	167	69	63	409	944
Royal Engineers	1	5	2	54	61	9	12	15	97	—	133	194
Foot Guards	1	36	16	527	579	—	—	—	—	—	—	579
Infantry of the Line	2	75	27	867	969	325	93	1,376	103	222	2,119	3,088
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	24	4	29	29
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	17	—	19	19
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	3	3
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	6	—	7	7
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	2	54	10	77	77
Total	—	145	53	1,946	2,144	454	129	1,563	378	299	2,823	4,967
FROM EGYPT.												
Cavalry of the Line	¼	7	2	132	141	—	4	2	2	1	9	150
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	2	8	8
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	5	—	9	9
Infantry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	59	13	204	52	36	364	364
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	18	3	22	22
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	4	4
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	5	22	1	32	32
Total	—	7	2	132	141	66	17	217	103	45	448	589
General Total	—	309	104	4,127	4,540	2,075	493	10,010	932	515	14,025	18,565

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TABLE 36.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked from INDIA during 1891.

—	At Home.							In the Colonies.							In Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	½	34	6	305	345	434	779	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	½	10	2	135	147	—	147	1	926
Royal Artillery -	5	35	13	553	601	1,215	1,816	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1,816
Royal Engineers -	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Infantry of the Line	2	85	30	1,191	1,306	9,094	10,400	—	—	—	—	—	36	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	10,436
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Total - -	—	154	49	2,049	2,252	10,748	13,000	—	—	—	—	—	36	36	—	10	2	135	147	—	147	—	13,183

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TABLE 37.—DETAIL of REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked from the COLONIES during 1891.

	At Home.							In India.							In Egypt.							Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.					Detachments.			
	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Total.	Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	27	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	27
Royal Artillery	5	29	8	498	535	409	944	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	944
Royal Engineers	1	5	2	54	61	133	194	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	17	1	211
Foot Guards	1	36	16	527	579	—	579	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	579
Infantry of the Line	2	75	27	867	969	2,119	3,088	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	83	30	1,601	1,714	15	1,729	4	4,817
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	29	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	19	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	7	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
Medical Staff Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	77	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77
Total	—	145	53	1,946	2,144	2,823	4,967	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	83	30	1,601	1,714	32	1,746	—	6,713

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TABLE 38.—DETAIL OF REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked from EGYPT during 1891.

	At Home.						In India.						In the Colonies.						Total.	
	Regiments, Batteries, &c.				Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.				Detachments.		Regiments, Batteries, &c.				Detachments.		Number of Regiments, Batteries, &c.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.
	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.	Number of.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Buglers.	Rank and File.	Total.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.		
Cavalry of the Line	1	7	2	132	141	9	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	150
Royal Artillery	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9
Infantry of the Line	—	—	—	—	—	364	1	40	11	625	676	—	—	2	32	1,515	1,629	—	3	2,660
Army Service Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22
Ordnance Store Corps.	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	32
Total	—	7	2	132	141	448	—	41	11	625	677	—	—	2	32	1,515	1,629	—	—	2,895

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TABLE 39.—REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS embarked

Year.	—	For India.						
		Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.		Infantry of the Line.		All Arms.
		Regts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	
1882	Regiments, &c.	–	—	–	—	–	9	9(1)
	Detachments	–	6	–	1,706	–	5,362	7,074
	Total	–	6	–	1,706	–	5,371	7,083(1)
1883	Regiments, &c.	1	432	6	423	1	895	1,750
	Detachments	–	1,110	–	1,239	–	7,600	9,949
	Total	–	1,542	–	1,662	–	8,495	11,699
1884	Regiments, &c.	1	377	4	253	1	891	1,521
	Detachments	–	387	–	1,238	–	5,847	7,472
	Total	–	764	–	1,491	–	6,738(5)	8,993(5)
1885	Regiments, &c.	1	594	5	272(8)	–	281(8)	1,147(8)
	Detachments	–	632	–	1,490	–	7,507	9,629
	Total	–	1,226	–	1,762(8)	–	7,788(8)	10,776(8)
1886	Regiments, &c.	1	584	9	735(11)	–	281(11)	1,600(11)
	Detachments	–	1,281	–	1,447	–	9,750	12,478
	Total	–	1,865	–	2,182 (11)	–	10,031 (11)	14,078 (11)
1887	Regiments, &c.	1	540	12	914	–	925	2,379
	Detachments	–	633	–	1,065	–	4,760	6,458
	Total	–	1,173	–	1,979	–	5,685(14)	8,837(14)
1888	Regiments, &c.	1	629	6	370	1	1,055	2,054
	Detachments	–	325	–	1,788	–	6,764	8,877
	Total	–	954	–	2,158	–	7,819(17)	10,931(17)
1889	Regiments, &c.	1	520	4	290(20)	1	1,162(20)	1,972(20)
	Detachments	–	480	–	2,140	–	‡6,813	9,433
	Total	–	1,000	–	2,430(20)	–	‡7,975(20)	11,405(20)
1890	Regiments, &c.	1	513	5	621	1	822(23)	1,956(23)
	Detachments	–	512	–	1,726	–	5,640	7,900
	Total	–	1,025	–	2,347	–	6,462(23)	9,856(23)
1891	Regiments, &c.	1	580	6	709	1	645	1,934(25)
	Detachments	–	622	–	1,303	–	8,990	10,915
	Total	–	1,202	–	2,012	–	9,635	12,849(25)

* The numbers shown in this table are exclusive of any troops that may have proceeded between the Colonies and India.

† Including one battalion of Foot Guards (585 non-commissioned officers and men).

‡ Men belonging to Corps of Armourers included with infantry of the line.

(1) In addition, 3,626 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from Colonies and Egypt to India.

(2) In addition, 820 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from Egypt to the Colonies.

(3) In addition, 9,809 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from India and the Colonies to Egypt.

(4) In addition, four battalions of infantry (2,680) proceeded from Egypt to the Colonies.

(5) In addition, three battalions of infantry (2,108) proceeded from Colonies to India.

(6) In addition, one regiment of cavalry (367) from India, and half battalion of infantry (357) from Egypt, to Colonies.

(7) In addition, 2,900 non-commissioned officers and men proceeded from India, and 3,827 from Colonies, to Egypt.

(8) In addition, one battery of artillery, and one battalion of infantry from Colonies, and one battalion of infantry from Egypt, proceeded to India (1,852 non-commissioned officers and men).

(9) In addition, three battalions of foot guards and one battalion of infantry proceeded from Egypt (3,394 non-commissioned officers and men).

(10) In addition, one battery of artillery, and nine battalions of infantry proceeded from the Colonies (8,518 non-commissioned officers and men).

(11) In addition, one battalion of infantry from the Colonies, and one battery of artillery and two battalions of infantry from Egypt proceeded to India (3,108 non-commissioned officers and men).

(12) In addition, 4½ battalions of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (4,537 non-commissioned officers and men).

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for Foreign Service in each year from 1882 to 1891.*

For the Colonies.																For Egypt.	Total embarked.	Year.
Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.		Royal Engineers.		Infantry of the Line.		Army Service Corps, late Commissariat and Transport Corps.		Ordnance Store Corps.		Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	All Arms (detail in Table 34).			
Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	N.C.O. & Men.	N.C.O. & Men.					
–	—	3	405	1	62	6	5,163	–	—	–	—	—	—	5,630	16,204	21,843		
–	60	–	341	–	147	–	2,039	–	14	–	27	—	61	2,689	6,460	16,223		1882
–	60	–	746	–	209	–	7,202	–	14	–	27	—	61	8,319(2)	(3)22,664	38,066		
–	—	1	115	–	—	1	836(4)	–	—	–	—	—	—	951(4)	—	2,701		
–	108	–	918	–	228	–	3456	–	45	–	37	—	78	4,870	2,288	17,107		1883
–	108	–	1,033	–	228	–	4,292(4)	–	45	–	37	—	78	5,821(4)	2,288	19,808		
–	—	2	298	2	226	9	6,846	1	63	–	—	—	—	7,433	1,857	10,611		
–	76	–	400	–	141	–	2,686	–	90	–	80	15	89	3,577	2,322	13,371		1884
–	76 (6)	–	698	–	367	–	9,532(6)	–	153	–	80	15	89	11,010(6)	4,179(7)	24,182		
–	—	5	609	1½	91	8	5,610	–	—	–	—	—	—	6,310	4,368	11,825		
–	51	–	458	–	290	–	4,861	–	25	–	43	6	172	5,906	4,529	20,064		1885
–	51	–	1,067	–	381	–	10,471	–	25	–	43	6	172	12,216(9)	8,897(10)	31,889		
–	—	9	1,102	1½	70	2	1,400	–	—	–	—	—	—	2,572	—	4,172		
–	107	–	567	–	336	–	3,889	–	56	–	25	1	127	5,108	2,025	19,611		1886
–	107	–	1,669	–	406	–	5,289 (12)	–	56	–	25	1	127	7,680(12)	2,025(13)	23,783		
–	—	3	305	1	59	1	686	–	—	–	—	—	—	1,050	718	4,147		
–	52	–	667	–	147	–	1,419	–	26	–	23	6	42	2,382	244	9,084		1887
–	52	–	972(15)	–	206	–	2105(15)	–	26	–	23	6	42	3,432(15)	962(16)	13,231		
–	—	3	401	1	67	3¾	2,445	–	—	–	—	—	—	2,913	821	5,788		
–	84	–	354	–	208	–	1,884	–	29	–	20	3	93	2,675	256	11,808		1888
–	84	–	755	–	275	–	4329(18)	–	29	–	20	3	93	5,588(18)	1,077(19)	17,596		
–	—	3	508	–	—	1	924(21)	–	—	–	—	—	—	1,432(21)	781(22)	4,185		
–	142	–	329	–	140	–	‡2,657	–	35	–	34	15	107	3,459	484	13,376		1889
–	142	–	837	–	140	–	3581(21)	–	35	–	34	15	107	4,891(21)	1,265(22)	17,561		
1	473	2	229	3	234	3	†2,254	–	—	–	—	—	—	3,190	—	5,146		
–	—	–	609	–	227	–	2,588	–	25	–	50	16	154	3,669	(24)259	11,828		1890
–	473	–	838	–	461	–	†4,842	–	25	–	50	16	154	6,859	(24)259	16,974		
–	—	3	465	1	91	4	3004(26)	–	—	–	—	—	—	3,560(26)	732 (27)	6,226		
–	48	–	571	–	176	–	2,616	–	33	–	33	8	99	3,584	436	14,935		1891
–	48	–	1,036	–	267	–	5620(26)	–	33	–	33	8	99	7,144(26)	1,168(27)	21,161		

(13) In addition, two battalions of infantry (2,460 non-commissioned officers and men) proceeded from the Colonies to Egypt.

(14) In addition, two battalions of infantry from the Colonies, and two battalions of infantry from Egypt proceeded to India (2,767 non-commissioned officers and men).

(15) In addition, one battery of artillery, and two battalions of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (1,739 non-commissioned officers and men).

(16) In addition, six companies of infantry proceeded from Colonies to Egypt (680 non-commisioned officers and men).

(17) In addition, one battalion of infantry from the Colonies, and one battalion of infantry from Egypt, proceeded to India (1,398 non-commissioned officers and men).

(18) In addition, two battalions of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (1,647 non-commissioned officers and men).

(19) In addition, two companies of infantry proceeded from Colonies to Egypt (147 non-commissioned officers and men).

(20) In addition, three batteries of artillery, and two battalions of infantry proceeded from the Colonies to India (1,528 non-commissioned officers and men).

(21) In addition, one battalion of infantry proceeded to the Colonies from Egypt (814 non-commissioned officers and men).

(22) In addition, two battalions of infantry proceeded from Colonies to Egypt (1,669 non-commissioned officers and men).

(23) In addition, two battalions of infantry proceeded from the Colonies and one battalion from Egypt to India (2,283 non-commissioned officers and men).

(24) In addition, two troops of cavalry of the line proceeded from India to Egypt (147 non-commissioned officers and men).

(25) In addition, one battalion of infantry proceeded from Egypt to India (677 non-commissioned officers and men).

(26) In addition, two battalions of infantry proceeded from Egypt to the Colonies (1,629 non-commissioned officers and men).

(27) In addition, one squadron of cavalry of the line proceeded from India, and two battalions of infantry from the Colonies to Egypt (1,893 non-commissioned officers and men).

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TABLE 40.—REGIMENTS and DETACHMENTS disembarked

Year.	——	From India.									From the Colonies.			
		Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.		Royal Engineers.		Infantry of the Line.		All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.		Royal Artillery.	
		Regts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.		Regts.	N.C.O. & Men.	Batts.	N.C.O. & Men.
1882	Regiments, &c.	–	—	15	1,078	–	—	3	†1,684	†2,762	–	675	3	465
	Detachments -	–	264	–	751	–	—	–	4,190	5,205	–	95	–	459
	Total -	–	264	–	1,829	–	—	–	5,874	7,967	–	770	–	924
1883	Regiments, &c.	–	—	3	198	–	—	1	419	617	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	630	–	1,410	–	1	–	10,624	12,665	–	44	–	522
	Total -	–	630	–	1,608	–	1	–	11,043	13,282	–	44	–	522
1884	Regiments, &c.	–	‡6	6	‡423	–	—	1	‡420	‡849	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	444	–	973	–	1	–	5,102	6,520	–	37	–	544
	Total -	–	450	–	1,396	–	1	–	5,522	7,369	–	37	–	544
1885	Regiments, &c.	1	413	4	226	–	—	–	4	643	–	343	2	266
	Detachments -	–	347	–	1,271	–	—	–	4,887	6,505	–	116	-	593
	Total -	–	760	–	1,497	–	—	–	4,891	7,148	–	459	–	859
1886	Regiments, &c.	1	403	5	265	–	—	2	973	1,641	1	48	10	1,033
	Detachments -	–	457	–	1,027	–	—	–	4,093	5,577	–	—	–	479
	Total -	–	860	–	1,292	–	—	–	5,066	7,218	–	48		1,512
1887	Regiments, &c.	1	395	5	277	–	—	3	1,562	2,234	–	—	3	234
	Detachments -	–	431	–	947	–	2	–	5,233	6,613	–	60	–	334
	Total -	–	826	–	1,224	–	2	–	6,795	8,847	–	60	–	568
1888	Regiments, &c.	1	479	9	584	–	—	3	1,539	2,602	–	—	3	342
	Detachments -	–	415	–	1,707	–	—	–	4,095	6,217	–	73	–	360
	Total -	–	894	–	2,291	–	—	–	5,634	8,819	–	73	–	702
1889	Regiments, &c.	1	517	7	442	–	—	3	1,780	2,739	–	—	–	—
	Detachments -	–	425	–	1,646	–	—	–	§6,795	8,866	–	28	-	525
	Total -	–	942	–	2,088	–	—	–	§8,575	11,605	–	28	–	525
1890	Regiments, &c.	¾	330	5	588	–	—	4	2,318	3,236	1	398	–	—
	Detachments -	–	458	–	1,300	–	1	–	6,345	8,104	–	40	–	448
	Total -	–	788	–	1,888	–	1	–	§8,663	11,340	–	438	–	448
1891	Regiments, &c.	¾	345	5	601	–	—	2	1,309	2,255	–	—	5	535
	Detachments -	–	434	–	1,215	–	1	–	9,104	10,754	–	27	–	409
	Total -	–	779	–	1,816	–	1	–	§10,413	13,009	–	27	-	944

* The numbers shown in this table are exclusive of any troops that may have proceeded from the Colonies to India, or from
† In addition to these numbers two battalions (1,211 non-commissioned officers and men) returned home, but having
‡ In addition to these numbers one regiment of cavalry, one battery of artillery, and two battalions of infantry returned home,
§ Including men belonging to the Corps of Armourers.

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from Foreign Service in each year from 1882 to 1891.*

From the Colonies.													From Egypt.		
Royal Engineers.		Foot Guards.		Infantry of the Line.		Army Service Corps, late Commissariat and Transport Corps.		Ordnance Store Corps.		Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	All Arms (detail in Table 38).	Total disembarked.	Year.
Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.	Battns.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	Cos.	N.C.O. & Men.	N.C.O.	N.C.O. & Men.				
3 1/3	293	–	—	5 1/3	3,331	2	145	–	—	—	—	4,909	7,261	14,932	1882
–	157	–	—	–	2,849	–	86	–	104	—	245	3,995	6,504	15,704	
–	450	–	—	–	6,180	–	231	–	104	—	245	8,904	13,765	30,636	
–	—	–	—	3	2,153	–	—	–	—	—	—	2,153	2,012	4,782	1883
–	198	–	—	–	2,222	–	44	–	35	—	138	3,203	2,994	18,862	
–	198	–	—	–	4,375	–	44	–	35	—	138	5,356	5,006	23,644	
1	86	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	86	1,073	2,008	1884
–	166	–	—	–	2,308	–	46	–	20	—	126	3,247	1,342	11,109	
–	252	–	—	–	2,308	–	46	–	20	—	126	3,333	2,415	13,117	
2 3/5	232	–	—	–	—	1	104	–	—	—	—	2,967	4,415	8,025	1885
–	205	–	—	–	2,331	–	37	–	30	1	101	3,414	5,574	15,493	
–	437	–	—	–	2,331	–	141	–	30	1	101	6,381	9,989	23,518	
2	89	3	2,022	4	3,035	–	—	–	—	—	—	4,157	3,553	9,351	1886
–	199	–	—	–	1,959	–	53	–	26	1	110	2,875	2,880	11,332	
–	288	–	2,022	–	4,994	–	53	–	26	1	110	7,032	6,433	20,683	
1/3	23	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	257	1,638	4,129	1887
–	107	–	—	–	1,629	–	21	–	12	1	60	2,224	1,124	9,961	
–	130	–	—	–	1,629	–	21	–	12	1	60	2,481	2,762	14,090	
2	108	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	450	—	3,052	1888
–	98	–	—	–	861	–	19	–	14	2	53	1,480	581	8,278	
–	206	–	—	–	861	–	19	–	14	2	53	1,930	581	11,330	
–	—	–	—	1	756	–	—	–	—	—	—	756	801	4,296	1889
–	99	–	—	–	§2,291	–	19	–	35	12	51	3,060	596	12,522	
–	99	–	—	–	§3,047	–	19	–	35	12	51	3,816	1,397	16,818	
1	48	–	—	–	—	–	—	–	—	—	—	446	115	3,797	1890
–	169	–	—	–	2,038	–	19	–	37	8	116	2,875	250	11,229	
–	217	–	—	–	§2,038	–	19	–	37	8	116	3,321	365	15,026	
1	61	1	579	2	969	–	—	–	—	—	—	2,144	141	4,540	1891
–	133	–	—	–	2,122	–	29	–	19	7	77	2,823	448	14,025	
–	194	–	579	–	§3,091	–	29	–	19	7	77	4,967	589	18,565	

India to the Colonies. Details of these troops will be found at the foot of Table 39.
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TABLE 41.—NUMBER of COURTS-MARTIAL held during 1891, shewing the OFFENCES for which the men were tried, the Sentences awarded, and the Punishments inflicted, in each arm of the service, at home and abroad.

Courts-Martial and Offences.

—	AT HOME.												ABROAD.												GENERAL TOTAL.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	
Number of Courts-Martial	15	585	1,040	79	217	3,975	81	4	—	—	31	6,027	169	925	39	14	3,473	109	7	2	2	—	9	4,749	10,776
Offences in relation to:—The enemy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mutiny	—	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
Desertion	2	172	305	8	47	1,151	24	1	—	—	5	1,715	12	16	2	—	59	9	—	—	—	—	—	98	1,813
Fraudulent Enlistment	—	74	69	—	15	266	—	—	—	—	1	425	2	11	—	1	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	448
Offences in relation to enlistment	—	37	60	1	18	229	1	—	—	—	—	346	1	7	—	—	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	22	368
Violence and disobedience to Superiors	2	73	145	8	58	606	10	—	—	—	2	904	36	201	5	4	819	8	—	—	1	—	1	1,075	1,979
Minor Insubordination and neglect of orders	3	67	169	4	40	595	9	1	—	—	3	891	48	226	4	2	840	35	7	—	—	—	2	1,164	2,055
Quitting or Sleeping on Post	—	23	29	2	15	59	1	—	—	—	—	129	8	40	1	—	164	3	—	—	—	—	—	216	345
Drunk on Duty	3	16	56	7	7	143	6	—	—	—	8	246	17	111	4	—	505	6	—	—	—	—	1	645	891
Drunkenness	—	30	53	13	6	311	2	—	—	—	4	419	19	134	13	—	591	6	2	1	2	—	1	768	1,187
Disgraceful Conduct	2	62	60	2	17	210	—	—	—	—	3	356	27	53	4	1	303	3	—	—	—	—	1	392	748
Absence without Leave	1	82	178	31	38	626	17	—	—	—	5	978	15	120	4	—	445	26	—	—	—	—	1	611	1,589
Making away with Necessaries	1	221	286	6	67	1,552	19	—	—	—	6	2,158	17	136	1	2	581	8	—	—	—	—	—	745	2,903
Miscellaneous	7	92	46	13	50	739	41	2	—	—	5	986	24	98	5	4	735	22	—	1	—	—	14	903	1,889
Total of Offences	21	949	1,466	95	378	6,478	130	4	—	—	42	9,563	226	1,153	43	14	5,065	126	9	2	3	—	21	6,662	16,225

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TABLE 41—*continued.*—Sentences awarded.

—	AT HOME.																ABROAD.												GENERAL TOTAL.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	
Death - - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Penal Servitude - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	9
Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks	3	54	145	26	21	401	16	—	—	—	9	675	—	147	11	1	473	9	1	1	1	—	1	678	1,353
Reduction and Imprisonment - -	2	4	11	1	3	33	1	—	—	—	1	56	—	27	—	1	46	1	—	—	1	—	1	77	133
Summary Punishment under sec. 44 (para. 5), Army Act, 1881 - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other punishment - -	—	1	4	1	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	11	1	7	1	—	17	—	—	—	—	—	—	26	37
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	10	502	872	43	190	3,462	58	4	—	—	17	5,158	130	713	23	12	2,792	94	4	1	—	—	7	3,776	8,934
Discharged with ignominy, without other punishment - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total of Sentences -	15	561	1,032	71	214	3,901	75	4	—	—	27	5,900	164	895	35	14	3,335	104	5	2	—	—	9	4,567	10,467
Acquitted - -	—	24	8	8	3	74	6	—	—	—	4	127	5	30	4	—	136	5	2	—	—	—	—	182	309

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TABLE 41—*continued.*—Punishments inflicted.

—	AT HOME.												ABROAD.											GENERAL TOTAL.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	Colonial Corps.	Army Service Corps.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Corps of Armourers.	Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	Medical Staff Corps.	All Arms.	
Death	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Penal Servitude	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	9
Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks	3	50	135	24	22	385	15	—	—	—	6	640	28	138	9	1	435	9	1	1	1	—	1	624	1,264
Reduction and Imprisonment	2	3	8	1	1	21	1	—	—	—	1	38	—	17	—	1	25	—	—	—	1	—	1	45	83
Summary Punishment under sec. 44 (para. 5) Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	1	3	3	—	6	—	—	—	—	1	14	1	16	1	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	50
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	10	497	864	42	187	3,439	58	4	—	—	17	5,118	127	701	23	12	2,704	94	3	1	—	—	7	3,732	8,850
Discharged with ignominy without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total of Punishments inflicted	15	551	1,010	70	210	3,851	74	4	—	—	25	5,810	156	873	33	14	3,251	103	4	2	2	—	9	4,447	10,257
Pardoned	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sentence wholly remitted	—	8	15	—	2	32	1	—	—	—	2	60	7	17	1	—	56	1	1	—	—	—	—	83	143
Sentence quashed	—	2	7	1	2	18	—	—	—	—	—	30	1	5	1	—	30	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	67
Per-centage to average number of Non-commissioned Officers — Reduction	1·5	3·1	5·5	1·9	4·0	5·8	2·1	—	—	—	1·2	4·5	3·6	5·9	1·9	2·5	6·6	2·9	1·1	1·3	·7	—	·8	5·7	5·0
Per-centage to average number of Non-commissioned Officers — Reduction and Imprisonment	1·0	·2	·3	·1	·2	·3	·1	—	—	—	·2	·3	—	·7	—	2·5	·4	—	—	—	·7	—	·8	·4	·3

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TABLE 42.—NUMBER of MEN tried by COURTS-MARTIAL, compared with the number of trials, in each arm of the service, during 1891; also the number of each description of Court.

CORPS.	Number of men tried.							Number of trials.				
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total.	General Courts-Martial.	District or Garrison Courts-Martial.	Regimental or Detachment Courts-Martial.	Summary Courts-Martial.	Total.
Household Cavalry	15	—	—	—	—	—	15	—	9	6	—	15
Cavalry of the Line	613	59	6	—	1	—	679	—	500	254	—	754
Royal Artillery	1,530	174	22	4	1	—	1,731	5	1,034	925	1	1,965
Royal Engineers	102	8	—	—	—	—	110	—	73	45	—	118
Foot Guards	196	16	1	—	—	—	213	—	137	94	—	231
Infantry of the Line	5,707	634	126	20	3	—	6,490	18	4,166	3,259	5	7,448
Colonial Corps	90	5	3	—	—	—	98	—	69	40	—	109
Army Service Corps	84	2	—	—	—	—	86	—	59	29	—	88
Ordnance Store Corps	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	5	1	—	6
Corps of Armourers	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	—	—	2
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	38	1	—	—	—	—	39	—	36	4	—	40
General Total	8,383	899	158	24	5	—	9,469	24	6,089	4,657	6	10,776

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TABLE 43.—NUMBER of MEN fined for DRUNKENNESS during 1891, the number of FINES inflicted, and the proportion of men fined per 1,000 of average strength in each arm of the service.

CORPS.	NUMBER OF MEN FINED.															Proportion of men fined per 1,000 of average strength.	Number of cases of Fines inflicted.
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Seven times.	Eight times.	Nine times.	Ten times.	Eleven times.	Twelve times.	Thirteen times.	Fifteen times.	Total of men Fined.		
Household Cavalry	6	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	6	9
Cavalry of the Line	227	87	33	16	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	369	22	598
Royal Artillery	1,325	519	245	123	44	20	9	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2,287	67	4,011
Royal Engineers	79	27	11	6	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	126	19	205
Foot Guards	88	34	11	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	137	26	209
Infantry of the Line	6,513	2,890	1,528	845	414	173	86	28	13	4	—	—	—	1	12,495	98	24,363
Colonial Corps	24	9	16	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	57	20	125
Army Service Corps	39	19	6	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	69	22	117
Ordnance Store Corps	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	11	11
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	25	11	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	15	50
General Total	8,331	3,599	1,852	999	471	196	96	28	15	4	—	—	—	1	15,592	77	29,698

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TABLE 44.—NUMBER of MINOR PUNISHMENTS, including Fines for Drunkenness, inflicted by order of Commanding Officers, and the per-centage to average strength in each arm of the service, at home and abroad, during 1891.

Corps.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.	Per-centage to Average Strength.
Household Cavalry	391	—	391	32
Cavalry of the Line	8,705	2,730	11,435	67
Royal Artillery	13,304	11,720	25,024	73
Royal Engineers	2,471	799	3,270	51
Foot Guards	4,506	275	4,781	90
Infantry of the Line	78,103	75,389	153,492	120
Colonial Corps	—	5,480	5,480	194
Army Service Corps	2,237	57	2,294	74
Ordnance Store Corps	133	16	149	21
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	1,530	159	1,689	71
Total*	111,380	96,625	208,005	103

* Summary Punishments awarded by Courts-Martial in the Field, and Entries disposed of with reprimand or admonition, are not counted or shown in this table.

TABLE 45.—NUMBER of MEN tried by COURT-MARTIAL in each year from 1872 to 1891, and the total number of trials.

YEAR.	Number of men tried.							Number of trials.
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total Men.	
1872	10,115	1,596	271	40	2	—	12,024	14,200
1873	10,683	1,148	152	14	—	—	11,997	13,421
1874	10,995	1,231	170	22	1	—	12,419	14,060
1875	10,896	1,173	134	13	1	—	12,217	13,701
1876	10,864	1,187	125	11	—	—	12,187	13,657
1877	12,434	1,324	202	20	5	—	13,985	15,793
1878	12,931	1,407	227	17	—	1	14,583	16,500
1879	12,546	1,230	145	14	3	—	13,938	15,512
1880	12,370	1,170	152	19	—	—	13,711	15,242
1881	13,206	1,319	189	23	4	—	14,741	16,523
1882	11,336	1,101	144	17	—	—	12,598	14,038
1883	10,655	1,023	136	18	2	—	11,834	13,191
1884	9,906	1,019	153	20	2	—	11,100	12,493
1885	11,456	1,086	189	20	1	—	12,752	14,280
1886	11,307	1,217	173	24	8	1	12,730	14,401
1887	9,244	1,131	183	36	4	—	10,598	12,219
1888	9,318	1,086	189	29	3	—	10,625	12,188
1889	8,710	835	148	11	1	—	9,705	10,873
1890	8,498	873	157	12	—	—	9,450	10,673
1891	8,383	899	158	24	5	—	9,469	10,776

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TABLE 46.—COURTS-MARTIAL, CRIMES, and PUNISHMENTS, in each year from 1872 to 1891.

Courts-Martial and Offences.

	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.
No of Courts-Martial	14,290	13,491	14,060	13,701	13,657	15,793	16,500	15,512	15,242	16,523	14,038	13,191	12,493	14,280	14,401	12,219	12,188	10,873	10,673	10,776
OFFENCES.																				
Offences in relation to: The enemy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Offences in relation to: Mutiny	2	5	—	2	—	8	—	—	1	7	2	—	—	2	6	4	—	7	—	10
Offences in relation to: Desertion	2,421	2,365	2,692	2,523	2,776	3,376	3,264	2,615	1,740	1,597	1,477	1,397	1,540	2,050	2,103	1,514	1,821	1,673	1,660	1,813
Offences in relation to: Fraudulent enlistment.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	839	1,243	1,190	934	659	786	581	713	519	385	385	361	448
Offences in relation to enlistment														503	617	479	340	320	321	368
Violence to Superiors and Insubordination	1,622	1,446	1,529	1,589	1,367	1,781	2,047	1,953	1,364	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Violence and disobedience to Superiors	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,650	1,385	1,611	1,560	2,001	2,074	2,125	2,198	1,866	1,891	1,979
Disobedience	273	241	256	251	263	326	318	319	1,460	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Minor insubordination and neglect of orders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,472	1,494	1,454	1,612	1,816	1,921	2,083	2,106	1,895	1,801	2,055
Quitting or Sleeping on Post	393	420	480	494	466	508	588	640	600	681	620	617	574	591	573	377	407	371	396	345
Drunk on Duty under Arms	1,232	1,218	1,416	1,457	1,458	1,620	1,624	1,895	2,264	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drunk on duty	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,661	2,210	1,881	1,621	1,553	1,419	1,031	1,276	1,103	1,073	891
Drunkenness	2,226	2,071	2,418	2,378	2,415	2,550	2,477	2,526	1,884	2,147	1,719	1,568	1,481	1,749	1,772	1,408	1,305	1,086	1,106	1,187
Disgraceful Conduct	733	728	800	760	861	1,039	1,042	1,061	773	660	527	538	625	932	1,026	1,301	944	769	862	748
Absence without Leave	3,392	2,909	3,151	3,219	2,730	3,347	3,803	2,903	2,948	3,293	2,623	2,492	2,261	2,343	2,120	2,208	2,062	1,883	1,706	1,589
Making away with Necessaries	2,862	2,662	3,874	4,156	4,424	5,276	5,617	4,440	3,451	3,768	2,919	2,555	2,913	3,594	3,822	3,509	3,493	3,006	2,755	2,903
Miscellaneous	2,769	2,623	3,314	3,599	3,802	4,468	4,921	3,873	4,065	4,181	3,901	3,743	2,762	2,742	2,948	2,143	2,291	2,079	2,111	1,889
Total of Offences	17,925	16,688	19,930	20,428	20,562	24,199	25,701	23,064	21,793	23,307	19,811	18,515	17,735	20,457	21,114	18,701	18,628	16,443	16,043	16,225
Per-centage to average strength	10	9	11	12	12	13	13	12	12	13	11	11	11	11	11	9	9	8	8	8

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TABLE 46—*continued.*—Sentences awarded.

	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.
Death	1	3	3	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	2	2	3	1	2	1	1
Penal Servitude	61	55	62	62	50	51	44	58	69	104	149	110	44	42	46	19	26	6	6	9
Reduction to the Ranks	2,149	2,140	2,119	2,089	2,090	2,127	2,100	2,327	3,035	3,228	2,269	2,174	1,795	1,790	1,794	1,544	1,597	1,478	1,464	1,353
Reduction to the Ranks and Imprisonment	196	206	249	232	235	326	359	368	595	591	385	360	241	216	177	170	133	127	114	133
Corporal Punishment	—	5	3	—	2	—	29	545	25	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corporal Punishment and Imprisonment	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	50	13	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
To be put under stoppages, without other punishment	97	122	96	116	89	98	182	103	42	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	51	29	35	45	26	48	71	34	49	37
Solitary Confinement	15	3	6	4	2	5	9	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Solitary Confinement and Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	304	211	159	110	152	178	190	213	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Summary Punishment under Sec. 44 (Part 5), Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	12	—	3	—	—	—	—
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	11,164	10,451	11,120	10,833	10,810	12,723	13,281	11,541	11,118	12,166	10,913	10,254	10,150	11,922	12,045	10,133	10,110	8,956	8,744	8,934
Discharged with ignominy, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	4	1	—	—
Total of Sentences	13,987	13,197	13,817	13,447	13,430	15,511	16,198	15,209	14,897	16,173	13,772	12,928	12,268	14,029	14,090	11,920	11,942	10,604	10,378	10,467
Acquitted	302	292	237	249	221	280	302	299	344	349	266	263	225	251	311	299	246	269	295	309

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TABLE 46—*continued.*—Punishments inflicted.

	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.
Death	1	3	3	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
Penal Servitude	61	52	61	58	49	46	40	54	63	92	142	99	35	37	39	20	14	5	5	9
Reduction to the Ranks	1,941	1,920	1,884	1,864	1,865	1,919	1,913	2,115	2,877	3,084	2,141	2,079	1,699	1,708	1,695	1,417	1,496	1,393	1,371	1,264
Reduction to the Ranks and Imprisonment	163	155	206	190	201	271	298	293	522	531	326	313	197	162	148	160	105	105	90	83
Corporal Punishment	—	2	—	—	—	—	25	425	21	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corporal Punishment and Imprisonment	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	36	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Put under stoppages without other punishment	104	130	102	119	104	106	192	131	54	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stoppages, Fine, or Forfeiture, without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	59	35	44	51	25	54	76	41	51	50
Solitary Confinement	14	1	6	2	2	5	7	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Solitary Confinement and Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	290	205	152	109	147	170	141	135	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Summary Punishment under sec. 44 (para. 5), Army Act, 1881	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	—	—	12	—	3	—	—	—	—
Imprisonment with or without Hard Labour	11,057	10,376	11,030	10,753	10,723	12,634	13,256	11,557	11,016	12,067	10,836	10,176	10,098	11,839	11,972	10,032	10,016	8,877	8,682	8,850
Discharged with ignominy without other punishment	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	1	—	1	3	1	1	—
Total of Punishments	13,631	12,844	13,444	13,096	13,091	15,154	15,876	14,750	14,565	15,867	13,510	12,703	12,076	13,811	13,880	11,688	11,711	10,424	10,201	10,257
Per-centage to average strength	7	7	7	7	7	8	8	8	8	9	7	7	7	7	7	6	6	5	5	5
Pardoned, Sentence wholly remitted, or Sentence quashed	349	349	369	346	338	355	322	456	327	305	261	221	174	218	209	232	231	181	177	210
Percentage to number of Non-commissioned Officers. Reduction	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	9	12	12·5	9·0	8·8	7·1	7·0	6·9	5·8	6·0	5·6	5·4	5·0
Reduction and Imprisonment.	·7	·7	1	·8	·9	1	1	1	2	2·1	1·4	1·3	·8	·7	·6	·6	·4	·4	·4	·3

By the Mutiny Act of 1867 the infliction of Corporal Punishment was restricted in time of peace to the crimes of Mutiny and Violence to Superiors, and by the Mutiny Act of 1868 this punishment was abolished, "except on Active Service or on board a Ship not in Commission.

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TABLE 47.—NUMBER of GENERAL, DISTRICT, and REGIMENTAL COURTS-MARTIAL at home and abroad from 1872 to 1891, and the proportion per 1,000 of the average strength.

Years.	Number of Courts-Martial.						Proportion per 1,000 men.		
	General.	District or Garrison.	Regimental or Detachment.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.
1872	99	7,532	6,659	9,314	4,976	14,290	93	59	78
1873	88	7,220	6,183	8,420	5,071	13,491	88	60	76
1874	105	7,740	6,215	9,240	4,820	14,060	99	57	79
1875	93	7,724	5,884	9,132	4,569	13,701	98	54	77
1876	79	7,746	5,832	8,957	4,700	13,657	96	56	77
1877	88	9,156	6,549	10,879	4,914	15,793	111	58	87
1878	90	9,452	6,958	11,751	4,749	16,500	114	56	88
1879	99	9,132	6,281	9,725	5,787	15,512	115	59	85
1880	131	8,160	6,951	9,108	6,134	15,242	104	66	84
1881	179	8,549	7,795	9,421	7,102	16,523	107	76	91
1882	222	7,133	6,683	8,472	5,566	14,038	94	61	77
1883	153	6,694	6,344	7,541	5,650	13,191	88	64	76
1884	71	6,794	5,628	7,122	5,371	12,493	83	63	73
1885	63	8,468	5,749	7,790	6,490	14,280	88	64	76
1886	68	8,902	5,431	7,798	6,603	14,401	83	65	74
1887	43	6,969	5,207	6,496	5,723	12,219	63	58	61
1888	28	6,816	5,344	6,398	5,790	12,188	62	57	59
1889	22	6,121	4,730	5,773	5,100	10,873	57	51	54
1890	19	5,873	4,781	5,842	4,831	10,673	58	48	53
1891	24	6,089	4,663	6,027	4,749	10,776	60	47	53

TABLE 48.—NUMBER of MINOR PUNISHMENTS inflicted by order of Commanding Officers at home and abroad, in each year from 1872 to 1891, and the proportion per 1,000 of the average strength.

Year.	Number of Minor Punishments.			Proportion per 1,000 men.		
	Home.	Abroad.	Total.	Home.	Abroad.	Total.
1872	159,405	89,774	249,179	1,605	1,072	1,361
1873	148,022	87,315	235,337	1,545	1,040	1,310
1874	162,484	92,833	255,317	1,745	1,092	1,433
1875	164,108	87,884	251,992	1,768	1,049	1,427
1876	163,538	91,693	255,231	1,763	1,098	1,448
1877	180,406	102,281	282,687	1,848	1,205	1,549
1878	188,657	96,388	285,045	1,827	1,146	1,521
1879	143,950	108,346	252,296	1,706	1,109	1,386
1880	127,176	88,857	216,033	1,448	952	1,192
1881	127,585	97,096	224,681	1,449	1,042	1,240
1882	142,617	98,976	241,593	1,585	1,082	1,331
1883	140,131	95,885	236,016	1,630	1,087	1,355
1884	148,946	101,779	250,725	1,732	1,209	1,473
1885	154,026	129,982	284,008	1,751	1,290	1,505
1886	146,044	123,207	269,251	1,553	1,216	1,378
1887	130,816	118,632	249,448	1,276	1,197	1,237
1888	120,541	115,660	236,201	1,174	1,152	1,163
1889	114,783	108,927	223,710	1,130	1,084	1,107
1890	107,484	104,666	212,150	1,062	1,050	1,056
1891	111,380	96,625	208,005	1,109	958	1,038

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TABLE 49.—NUMBER of MEN FINED for DRUNKENNESS in each year from 1872 to 1891, total number of FINES inflicted, and proportion of FINES per 1,000 MEN of the average strength.

YEAR.	NUMBER OF MEN FINED.																	Number of fines inflicted.	Proportion of fines per 1,000 men.	YEAR.
	Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Seven times.	Eight times.	Nine times.	Ten times.	Eleven times.	Twelve times.	Thirteen times.	Fourteen times.	Fifteen times.	Sixteen times.	Total of men fined.			
1872	13,785	5,834	3,081	1,794	798	398	237	112	44	16	8	2	—	2	—	—	26,111	51,501	281	1872
1873	12,516	5,123	2,726	1,575	831	406	219	101	52	25	15	6	5	3	—	—	23,603	47,234	263	1873
1874	12,760	5,421	2,965	1,600	902	476	224	98	56	34	18	2	4	—	—	—	24,560	49,733	279	1874
1875	12,352	5,539	2,970	1,574	813	417	198	73	38	17	13	2	1	—	1	—	24,008	47,880	271	1875
1876	12,490	5,560	2,949	1,594	886	474	241	107	50	15	12	5	—	—	—	—	24,383	49,442	280	1876
1877	13,970	5,697	3,013	1,594	813	426	213	100	43	18	12	8	2	—	—	—	25,909	50,512	277	1877
1878	13,912	5,630	2,968	1,487	763	422	206	84	52	21	10	7	1	3	—	—	25,566	49,412	267	1878
1879	13,258	4,866	2,637	1,316	666	321	145	64	20	17	3	1	1	—	—	1	23,316	43,372	236	1879
1880	12,332	4,929	2,457	1,221	591	304	127	53	9	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	22,029	40,684	225	1880
1881	12,931	5,242	2,664	1,365	698	358	129	56	20	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	23,470	44,108	243	1881
1882	13,041	5,248	2,727	1,423	692	300	135	47	18	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	23,637	44,214	244	1882
1883	11,617	4,762	2,486	1,309	689	342	133	40	20	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	21,402	40,799	234	1883
1884	10,599	4,662	2,553	1,418	779	379	180	57	29	6	3	1	—	—	—	—	20,666	41,505	242	1884
1885	11,671	5,371	2,991	1,638	822	460	202	92	43	26	4	2	1	1	—	—	*23,324	47,699	253	1885
1886	11,940	5,308	2,916	1,595	802	446	193	81	36	14	3	—	—	—	—	—	23,334	46,866	240	1886
1887	10,432	4,894	2,635	1,436	851	494	214	118	29	13	3	2	1	—	—	—	21,122	43,991	218	1887
1888	9,838	4,466	2,413	1,370	745	333	176	78	33	14	5	2	1	—	—	—	19,474	39,598	195	1888
1889	8,766	4,052	2,162	1,271	644	313	162	69	20	13	3	—	—	—	—	—	17,475	35,567	176	1889
1890	8,728	3,981	2,111	1,104	572	277	140	56	24	5	1	1	—	—	—	—	17,000	†33,677	167	1890
1891	8,331	3,599	1,852	999	471	196	96	28	15	4	—	—	—	—	1	—	15,592	29,698	147	1891

* In the case of one man who deserted the fine was not paid.

† One fine remitted.

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PART V.—REWARDS AND SERVICES. 59

TABLE 50.—NUMBER of MEN serving on the 1st January 1892 who were in possession of Good Conduct Medals, showing the different ranks, and the number in each arm of the service.

Corps.	Medals and Annuities.	Medals and Gratuities.				Medals without Gratuities.			
		Sergeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.	Sergeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.
Household Cavalry	—	2	3	19	24	9	—	—	9
Cavalry of the Line	—	25	12	34	71	110	—	—	110
Royal Artillery	—	37	46	201	284	214	—	—	214
Royal Engineers	—	1	11	28	40	138	—	—	138
Foot Guards	—	6	3	23	32	12	—	—	12
Infantry of the Line	—	54	26	254	334	247	—	2	249
Colonial Corps	—	6	6	22	34	4	—	—	4
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	12	12	17	—	—	17
Ordnance Store Corps	—	1	—	3	4	12	—	—	12
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	3
Medical Staff Corps	—	2	7	15	24	13	—	—	13
General Total	—	134	114	611	859	779	—	2	781

TABLE 51.—NUMBER of MEN serving on the 1st January 1892 who were in possession of Good Conduct Badges, showing the several arms of the service, and the number of badges.

Corps.	One badge.	Two badges.	Three badges.	Four badges.	Five badges.	Six badges.	Total.
Household Cavalry	355	246	61	29	2	1	694
Cavalry of the Line	5,562	1,563	209	73	17	3	7,427
Royal Artillery	10,577	3,233	762	433	104	38	15,147
Royal Engineers	2,070	539	76	43	10	2	2,740
Foot Guards	1,503	337	76	30	11	4	1,961
Infantry of the Line	40,005	15,168	1,328	482	176	64	57,223
Colonial Corps	639	320	27	22	18	5	1,031
Army Service Corps	861	147	25	20	4	2	1,059
Ordnance Store Corps	256	102	5	6	—	1	370
Corps of Armourers	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	724	159	32	33	5	2	955
General Total	62,553	21,814	2,601	1,171	347	122	88,608

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TABLE 52.—PAST SERVICES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the different arms on the 1st January 1892, at Home, in the Colonies, and in India.

Corps.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	13 to 14 years.	14 to 15 years.	15 to 16 years.	16 to 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	Over 21 years.	Not reported.	Total.
AT HOME.																								
Household Cavalry	134	114	125	89	77	88	90	101	70	55	48	46	24	23	25	26	16	14	10	13	12	11	—	1,211
Cavalry of the Line	2,848	1,506	932	884	895	1,307	893	248	215	171	125	134	112	82	82	80	73	91	86	69	67	62	2	10,904
Royal Artillery	3,620	2,773	1,857	1,020	1,227	1,378	1,270	386	335	386	362	396	166	182	155	220	162	175	176	167	244	346	—	17,003
Royal Engineers	777	685	599	393	367	368	363	178	129	115	106	161	49	61	66	64	53	44	50	47	75	67	—	4,817
Foot Guards	1,358	955	932	326	449	369	391	106	132	60	55	48	37	28	38	27	30	24	16	12	17	32	—	5,442
Infantry of the Line	18,679	9,667	3,936	2,421	3,695	4,632	4,363	1,167	833	688	680	590	347	384	343	293	229	247	183	151	278	554	78	54,438
Army Service Corps	435	567	416	338	263	172	190	110	89	61	37	32	40	37	29	33	26	9	16	25	41	12	—	2,987
Ord. Store Corps	64	32	39	61	63	55	67	29	19	14	12	16	—	21	11	9	8	3	5	5	4	7	—	544
Corps of Armourers	22	4	6	5	6	4	7	8	6	5	8	5	4	9	14	6	9	8	7	9	9	15	—	176
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	14	10	1	—	3	2	3	7	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	54
Medical Staff Corps	327	241	225	72	124	187	196	68	52	38	34	40	39	52	26	12	13	31	34	15	30	14	—	1,870
Total	28,278	16,554	9,068	5,609	7,169	8,562	7,833	2,408	1,891	1,593	1,467	1,468	827	879	789	770	619	646	583	513	777	1,123	80	99,506
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.																								
Cavalry of the Line	7	31	80	75	111	178	44	50	16	11	7	10	16	4	9	2	1	3	—	—	1	—	5	661
Royal Artillery	248	559	519	434	612	716	601	322	120	96	74	68	21	26	19	25	12	16	16	19	23	13	171	4,730
Royal Engineers	3	62	211	226	223	207	200	139	43	35	44	28	29	29	28	27	9	19	15	12	8	7	—	1,604
Infantry of the Line	956	2,351	3,165	2,660	3,246	2,970	3,236	2,290	382	250	235	192	72	65	59	72	44	45	38	26	19	31	41	22,445
Colonial Corps	724	483	220	186	304	328	198	131	140	128	99	45	19	16	7	6	4	9	11	13	19	43	14	3,147
Army Service Corps	—	3	5	4	12	22	18	26	10	4	2	4	11	8	5	5	2	1	—	1	1	—	—	144
Ord. Store Corps	2	4	3	7	26	28	33	16	10	7	2	3	1	13	5	5	10	3	—	1	2	1	—	182
Corps of Armourers	—	3	4	4	2	3	5	2	4	3	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	—	—	—	45
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	1	3	8	6	1	9	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	38
Medical Staff Corps	4	15	60	39	97	70	25	61	27	12	11	13	9	9	5	2	3	8	2	—	—	—	—	472
Total	1,944	3,512	4,270	3,643	4,639	4,523	4,369	3,044	754	546	476	365	179	171	138	146	87	105	85	73	73	95	231	33,468
IN INDIA.																								
Cavalry of the Line	189	524	736	605	745	921	835	450	82	57	58	82	58	51	31	32	32	35	25	13	13	17	84	5,675
Royal Artillery	165	996	1,939	1,836	1,921	1,690	1,474	846	301	251	200	217	104	104	85	101	59	78	49	45	58	45	—	12,564
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	3
Infantry of the Line	720	3,309	6,506	7,168	6,810	7,769	8,744	4,896	1,235	734	851	670	408	267	260	197	99	124	92	78	75	107	700	51,849
Corps of Armourers	—	13	12	8	5	2	6	5	3	12	7	5	3	2	3	2	1	1	1	2	2	3	—	98
Total	1,074	4,842	9,193	9,617	9,481	10,382	11,059	6,197	1,621	1,084	1,116	974	574	424	379	332	192	238	167	138	148	173	784	70,189
General Total	31,296	24,908	22,531	18,869	21,289	23,467	23,261	11,649	4,266	3,223	3,059	2,807	1,580	1,474	1,306	1,248	898	989	835	724	998	1,391	1,095	203,163

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TABLE 52—*continued.*—PAST SERVICES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

Corps.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	12 to 13 years.	13 to 14 years.	14 to 15 years.	15 to 16 years.	16 to 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	Over 21 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	134	114	125	89	77	88	90	101	70	55	48	46	24	23	25	26	16	14	10	13	12	11	—	1,211
Cavalry of the Line	3,044	2,061	1,748	1,564	1,751	2,406	1,772	748	313	239	190	226	186	137	122	114	106	129	111	82	81	79	91	17,300
Royal Artillery	4,033	4,328	4,315	3,290	3,760	3,784	3,345	1,554	756	733	636	681	291	312	259	346	233	269	241	231	325	404	171	34,297
Royal Engineers	780	747	810	619	590	575	563	317	172	150	150	189	79	90	94	91	63	63	65	59	83	75	—	6,424
Foot Guards	1,358	955	932	326	449	369	391	106	132	60	55	48	37	28	38	27	30	24	16	12	17	32	—	5,442
Infantry of the Line	20,355	15,327	13,607	12,249	13,751	15,371	16,343	8,353	2,450	1,702	1,766	1,452	827	716	662	562	372	416	313	255	372	692	819	128,732
Colonial Corps	724	483	220	186	304	328	198	131	140	128	99	45	19	16	7	6	4	9	11	13	19	43	14	3,147
Army Service Corps	435	570	421	342	275	194	208	136	99	65	39	36	60	45	34	38	28	10	16	26	42	12	—	3,131
Ord. Store Corps	66	36	42	68	89	83	100	45	29	21	14	19	1	34	16	14	18	6	5	6	6	8	—	726
Corps of Armourers	22	20	22	17	13	9	18	15	13	20	17	12	8	12	18	10	12	10	10	12	11	18	—	319
Corps of Ordinance Artificers	14	11	4	8	9	3	12	14	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	—	92
Medical Staff Corps	331	256	285	111	221	257	221	129	79	50	45	53	48	61	31	14	16	39	36	15	30	14	—	2,342
General Total	31,296	24,908	22,531	18,869	21,289	23,467	23,261	11,649	4,266	3,223	3,059	2,807	1,580	1,474	1,306	1,248	898	989	835	724	998	1,391	1,095	203,103

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TABLE 53.—PAST SERVICES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the different arms at Home, in the Colonies, and in India, on the 1st January 1892, who were enlisted for Short Service, showing the number serving under their original engagements, and the number who have extended their service.

Corps.	Under Original Engagements.										Number who have extended their service.													TOTAL.
	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 and upwards.	Total.	Under 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years	12 to 13 years.	Total.	
AT HOME.																								
Cavalry of the Line	2,764	1,459	882	844	843	1,229	814	2	—	8,837	—	—	—	10	21	28	193	177	138	85	65	10	727	9,564
Royal Artillery	3,469	2,601	1,681	840	1,017	1,145	1,042	48	9	11,852	—	1	38	113	131	148	246	242	300	235	203	—	1,657	13,509
Royal Engineers	761	642	519	308	299	307	271	9	—	3,116	10	24	52	34	17	53	148	104	81	84	85	—	602*	3,808
Foot Guards	1,246	649	488	8	10	7	10	—	—	2,418	358	415	283	404	328	357	77	87	35	29	22	—	2,395*	4,813
Infantry of the Line	18,071	9,258	3,569	2,074	3,298	4,215	3,899	259	8	44,651	29	24	44	77	144	225	641	598	474	457	343	17	3,073	47,724
Army Service Corps	418	542	355	147	222	159	152	—	—	1,995	18	46	171	29	6	29	103	79	44	29	18	—	572*	2,567
Ordnance Store Corps	61	29	36	55	58	55	63	—	—	357	—	—	—	—	—	3	23	17	13	10	—	—	66	423
Medical Staff Corps	309	191	183	18	37	164	151	—	—	1,053	49	39	50	81	15	43	64	49	27	20	18	—	455*	1,508
Total	27,099	15,371	7,713	4,294	5,784	7,281	6,402	318	17	74,279	464	549	638	748	662	886	1,495	1,353	1,112	949	754	27	9,637	83,916
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.																								
Cavalry of the Line	7	28	77	66	110	173	33	33	—	527	—	—	—	—	—	1	9	11	4	6	4	—	35	562
Royal Artillery	242	544	500	390	518	582	460	190	—	3,426	—	—	20	74	115	120	112	92	80	48	39	—	700	4,126
Royal Engineers	3	50	203	208	214	193	176	90	—	1,137	—	—	4	4	1	14	44	36	29	32	11	—	175	1,312
Infantry of the Line	903	2,221	3,045	2,549	3,101	2,833	3,075	1,998	31	19,756	2	6	15	30	29	61	192	255	153	130	79	—	952	20,708
Colonial Corps	310	52	71	51	133	35	16	1	1	670	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	5	3	3	14	3	33	703
Army Service Corps	—	1	3	3	7	16	11	4	—	45	2	2	1	5	6	7	22	10	4	1	1	—	61	106
Ordnance Store Corps	2	4	3	7	26	26	24	9	1	102	—	—	—	—	—	9	7	9	5	1	1	—	32	134
Medical Staff Corps	2	4	11	8	62	48	16	5	—	156	13	49	31	35	18	7	51	26	10	7	3	—	250	406
Total	1,469	2,904	3,913	3,282	4,171	3,906	3,811	2,330	33	25,819	17	57	71	148	169	220	441	444	288	228	152	3	2,238	28,057
IN INDIA.																								
Cavalry of the Line	175	507	715	589	724	888	801	333	—	4,732	—	—	—	2	6	16	95	67	33	36	33	9	297	5,029
Royal Artillery	145	976	1,911	1,738	1,773	1,515	1,188	517	5	9,768	—	—	49	110	129	228	261	219	188	110	85	5	1,374	11,142
Infantry of the Line	650	3,142	6,317	6,975	6,566	7,424	8,187	3,896	7	43,164	1	12	33	77	168	360	752	1,000	545	555	310	22	3,835	46,999
Total	970	4,625	8,943	9,302	9,063	9,827	10,176	4,746	12	57,664	1	12	82	189	303	604	1,098	1,286	766	701	428	36	5,506	63,170
General Total	29,538	22,900	20,569	16,878	19,018	21,014	20,389	7,394	62	157,762	482	618	791	1,085	1,134	1,710	3,034	3,083	2,166	1,878	1,334	66	17,381	175,143

* A large proportion of these men having enlisted for three years' service with the colours have extended their service to complete seven years only.

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TABLE 53—*continued.*—PAST SERVICES of Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

Corps.	Under Original Engagements.										Number who have extended their service.												Total.
	Under 1 year.	1 to 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	Over 8 years.	Total.	Under 2 years.	2 to 3 years.	3 to 4 years.	4 to 5 years.	5 to 6 years.	6 to 7 years.	7 to 8 years.	8 to 9 years.	9 to 10 years.	10 to 11 years.	11 to 12 years.	Over 12 years.	Total.	
Cavalry of the Line	2,946	1,994	1,674	1,499	1,677	2,290	1,648	368	—	14,096	—	—	—	12	27	45	297	255	175	127	102	19	1,059	15,155
Royal Artillery -	3,856	4,121	4,092	2,968	3,308	3,242	2,690	755	14	25,046	—	1	107	297	375	496	609	553	568	393	327	5	3,731	28,777
Royal Engineers -	764	692	722	516	513	500	447	99	—	4,253	10	24	56	38	18	67	192	140	110	116	96	—	867	5,120
Foot Guards - -	1,246	649	488	8	10	7	10	—	—	2,418	358	415	283	404	328	357	77	87	35	29	22	—	2,395	4,813
Infantry of the Line	19,624	14,621	12,931	11,598	12,965	14,472	15,161	6,153	46	107,571	32	42	92	184	341	646	1,585	1,853	1,172	1,142	732	30	7,860	115,431
Colonial Corps -	310	52	71	51	133	35	16	1	1	670	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	5	3	3	14	3	33	703
Army Service Corps	418	543	358	150	229	175	163	4	—	2,040	20	48	172	34	12	36	125	89	48	30	19	—	633	2,673
Ordnance Store Corps	63	33	39	62	84	81	87	9	1	459	—	—	—	—	—	12	30	26	18	11	1	—	98	557
Medical Staff Corps	311	195	194	26	99	212	167	5	—	1,209	62	88	81	116	33	50	115	75	37	27	21	—	705	1,914
Total - -	29,538	22,900	20,569	16,878	19,018	21,014	20,389	7,394	62	157,762	482	618	791	1,085	1,134	1,710	3,034	3,083	2,166	1,878	1,334	66	17,381	175,143

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TABLE 54.—TERMS of ENGAGEMENT of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the different arms on the 1st January 1892, at Home, in the Colonies, and in India.

Corps.	Long Service. 1st Period. Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Re-engaged Men. Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Short Service. Original Engagements. Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Men who have extended their service. Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Not reported.	Total.
AT HOME.																						
Household Cavalry	85	18	41	890	1,034	74	5	6	92	177	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	1	1,211
Cavalry of the Line	25	134	15	400	574	461	8	95	260	824	132	7	400	8,298	8,837	316	4	107	300	727	2	10,964
Royal Artillery	79	191	156	955	1,381	773	9	285	1,066	2,113	69	1	507	11,276	11,852	280	1	338	1,038	1,657	—	17,003
Royal Engineers	30	82	58	178	348	424	—	108	129	661	30	—	217	2,869	3,116	143	—	202	347	692	—	4,817
Foot Guards	18	104	11	217	350	120	3	16	140	279	—	1	1	2,416	2,418	161	14	260	1,960	2,395	—	5,442
Infantry of the Line	110	709	187	2,452	3,458	1,340	47	351	1,440	3,178	857	139	2,375	41,280	44,651	1,072	251	403	1,347	3,073	78	54,438
Army Service Corps	21	37	8	63	129	197	—	35	59	291	57	—	171	1,767	1,995	128	—	109	335	572	—	2,987
Ordnance Store Corps	—	4	1	26	31	56	—	12	22	90	—	—	12	345	357	9	—	28	29	66	—	544
Corps of Armourers	64	—	—	22	86	90	—	—	—	90	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	176
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	51	—	—	—	51	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	54
Medical Staff Corps	2	7	9	38	56	167	1	53	85	306	5	—	74	974	1,053	81	—	84	290	455	—	1,870
Total	485	1,286	486	5,241	7,498	3,705	73	941	3,293	8,012	1,150	147	3,757	69,225	74,279	2,190	270	1,531	5,646	9,637	80	99,506
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.																						
Cavalry of the Line	—	9	1	44	54	23	—	8	9	40	11	—	29	487	527	22	—	4	9	35	5	661
Royal Artillery	18	61	28	116	223	131	—	19	60	210	20	—	134	3,272	3,426	131	—	111	458	700	171	4,730
Royal Engineers	7	30	15	37	89	155	—	22	26	203	36	—	191	910	1,137	67	—	57	51	175	—	1,604
Infantry of the Line	62	267	71	766	1,166	278	7	49	196	530	360	44	783	18,569	19,756	421	84	80	358	952	41	22,445
Colonial Corps	81	52	105	2,043	2,281	48	1	17	83	149	16	8	26	620	670	24	—	2	7	33	14	3,147
Army Service Corps	2	—	—	—	2	32	—	3	1	36	1	—	10	34	45	10	—	24	27	61	—	144
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	2	2	4	36	—	2	6	44	—	—	11	91	102	5	—	21	6	32	—	182
Corps of Armourers	34	—	—	—	34	11	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	45
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	37	—	—	—	37	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	38
Medical Staff Corps	1	—	3	10	14	44	—	3	5	52	2	—	12	142	156	31	—	42	177	250	—	472
Total	212	419	225	3,018	3,904	759	8	123	386	1,276	446	52	1,196	24,125	25,819	711	84	350	1,093	2,238	231	33,468
IN INDIA.																						
Cavalry of the Line	18	61	8	139	226	221	1	37	77	336	57	5	168	4,502	4,732	104	—	60	133	297	84	5,675
Royal Artillery	53	155	109	293	610	415	6	119	242	812	66	6	487	9,209	9,768	205	3	277	889	1,374	—	12,564
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Infantry of the Line	71	424	112	1,469	2,076	878	27	201	965	2,074	401	150	1,293	41,320	43,164	974	225	449	2,187	3,835	700	51,849
Corps of Armourers	77	—	—	1	78	20	—	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	98
Total	219	640	229	1,902	2,990	1,537	34	390	1,284	3,245	524	161	1,948	55,031	57,664	1,283	228	786	3,209	5,506	784	70,189
General Total	946	2,345	940	10,161	14,392	6,001	115	1,454	4,963	12,533	2,120	360	6,901	148,381	157,762	4,184	582	2,667	9,948	17,381	1,095	203,163

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TABLE 54—*continued.*—TERMS of ENGAGEMENT of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

Corps.	Long Service. 1st Period.					Re-engaged Men.					Short Service. Original Engagements.					Short Service. Men who have extended their Service.					Not reported.	Total.
	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.		
Household Cavalry -	85	18	41	890	1,034	74	5	6	92	177	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,211
Cavalry of the Line -	43	204	24	583	854	705	9	140	346	1,200	200	12	597	13,287	14,096	442	4	171	442	1,059	91	17,300
Royal Artillery - -	150	407	293	1,364	2,214	1,319	15	433	1,368	3,135	155	6	1,128	23,757	25,046	616	4	726	2,385	3,731	171	34,297
Royal Engineers - -	37	112	73	215	437	582	—	130	155	867	66	—	408	3,779	4,253	210	—	259	398	867	—	6,424
Foot Guards - - -	18	104	11	217	350	120	3	16	140	279	—	1	1	2,416	2,418	161	14	260	1,960	2,395	—	5,442
Infantry of the Line -	213	1,400	370	4,687	6,700	2,496	81	604	2,601	5,782	1,618	333	4,451	101,169	107,571	2,467	560	941	3,892	7,860	819	128,732
Colonial Corps - -	81	52	105	2,043	2,281	48	1	17	83	149	16	8	26	620	670	24	—	2	7	33	14	3,147
Army Service Corps -	23	37	8	63	131	229	—	38	60	327	58	—	181	1,801	2,040	138	—	133	362	633	—	3,131
Ordnance Store Corps -	—	4	3	28	35	92	—	14	28	134	—	—	23	436	459	14	—	49	35	98	—	726
Corps of Armourers -	175	—	—	23	198	121	—	—	—	121	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	319
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	88	—	—	—	88	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	92
Medical Staff Corps -	3	7	12	48	70	211	1	56	90	358	7	—	86	1,116	1,209	112	—	126	467	705	—	2,342
Total - -	946	2,345	940	10,161	14,392	6,001	115	1,454	4,963	12,533	2,120	360	6,901	148,381	157,762	4,184	582	2,667	9,948	17,381	1,095	203,163

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TABLE 55.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the number of men in possession of GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892.

Date.	Medals and Annuities.	Medals and Gratuities.				Medals without Gratuities.				Year.
		Serjeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.	Serjeants and Farriers.	Corporals and Bombardiers.	Trumpeters, Drummers, and Privates.	Total.	
1st January 1873	8	695	83	537	1,315	96	28	208	332	1873
1st January 1874	8	698	98	670	1,466	99	23	220	342	1874
1st January 1875	9	667	87	682	1,436	106	19	294	419	1875
1st January 1876	7	526	84	579	1,189	96	18	187	301	1876
1st January 1877	9	1,612	342	2,223	4,177	—	—	—	—	1877
1st January 1878	5	1,580	305	2,282	4,167	—	—	—	—	1878
1st January 1879	5	1,678	321	2,262	4,261	—	—	—	—	1879
1st January 1880	13	1,607	259	2,012	3,878	—	—	—	—	1880
1st January 1881	9	1,382	223	1,454	3,059	—	—	—	—	1881
1st January 1882	13	1,116	161	937	2,214	—	—	—	—	1882
1st January 1883	3	996	133	822	1,951	—	—	—	—	1883
1st January 1884	4	961	136	888	1,985	—	—	—	—	1884
1st January 1885	7	915	163	934	2,012	—	—	—	—	1885
1st January 1886	6	911	140	1,039	2,090	—	—	—	—	1886
1st January 1887	6	283	159	1,046	1,488	534	—	2	536	1887
1st January 1888	4	442	136	1,002	1,580	500	—	2	502	1888
1st January 1889	3	294	145	815	1,254	632	—	1	633	1889
1st January 1890	2	227	161	863	1,251	845	—	1	846	1890
1st January 1891	1	183	146	730	1,059	850	—	1	851	1891
1st January 1892	—	134	114	611	859	779	—	2	781	1892

N.B.—By Royal Warrant of 14th August 1875, the regulations for the issue of Good Conduct Medals were revised, and the grant of Medals without Gratuities was discontinued, but was revived by Royal Warrant of 9th May 1885, to Non-Commissioned Officers only.

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TABLE 56.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the number of men in possession of GOOD CONDUCT BADGES on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892.

Date.	One Badge.	Two Badges.	Three Badges.	Four Badges.	Five Badges.	Six Badges.	Total.	Year.
1st January 1873 - -	39,988	22,752	18,378	4,893	284	116	86,411	1873
1st January 1874 - -	41,584	22,736	17,187	6,485	215	8	88,215	1874
1st January 1875 - -	40,543	23,030	14,979	8,026	199	14	86,791	1875
1st January 1876 - -	40,146	22,697	13,910	8,881	316	13	85,963	1876
1st January 1877 - -	37,708	24,461	11,290	9,488	489	9	83,445	1877
1st January 1878 - -	34,697	25,707	9,849	9,738	308	11	80,310	1878
1st January 1879 - -	36,815	24,712	8,995	8,339	379	18	79,258	1879
1st January 1880 - -	41,550	23,926	9,072	6,612	565	25	81,750	1880
1st January 1881 - -	45,181	22,509	9,530	4,968	626	36	82,850	1881
1st January 1882 - -	45,722	18,959	8,177	3,582	583	41	77,064	1882
1st January 1883 - -	49,203	18,449	7,758	3,092	455	38	78,995	1883
1st January 1884 - -	43,491	14,808	7,214	3,293	371	44	69,221	1884
1st January 1885 - -	43,403	14,580	6,012	3,313	356	68	67,732	1885
1st January 1886 - -	47,465	15,764	5,271	3,405	345	95	72,345	1886
1st January 1887 - - -	52,376	15,697	4,604	3,558	356	108	76,699	1887
1st January 1888 - -	59,768	17,217	3,529	3,311	378	115	84,318	1888
1st January 1889 - -	67,599	17,590	2,658	2,645	392	106	90,990	1889
1st January 1890 - -	67,539	19,112	2,240	1,950	405	117	91,363	1890
1st January 1891 - -	65,309	20,587	2,248	1,526	367	123	90,160	1891
1st January 1892 - -	62,553	21,814	2,601	1,171	347	122	88,608	1892

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TABLE 57.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the Past SERVICES of year from

Past Services.	Effectives.							
	1st Jan. 1877.	1st Jan. 1878.	1st Jan. 1879.	1st Jan. 1880.	1st Jan. 1881.	1st Jan. 1882.	1st Jan. 1883.	1st Jan 1884.
Under 1 year	26,418	24,112	23,257	23,258	21,886	22,809	21,039	29,576
1 to 2 years	14,063	22,799	19,021	21,067	20,111	19,497	19,887	18,517
2 to 3 „ -	14,609	13,748	20,565	19,459	19,659	19,286	18,364	19,484
3 to 4 „ -	11,017	13,310	12,075	20,005	18,923	19,619	17,915	17,478
4 to 5 „ -	11,294	10,379	12,402	12,586	18,565	18,402	17,932	16,559
5 to 6 „ -	13,919	10,466	10,140	11,477	11,537	15,630	16,334	16,149
6 to 7 „ -	13,133	9,727	6,105	6,297	6,826	6,546	16,196	9,218
7 to 8 „ -	6,672	11,529	8,068	5,401	4,861	5,452	7,560	6,283
8 to 9 „ -	8,109	6,347	10,274	8,379	4,760	4,639	5,632	3,687
9 to 10 „ -	7,803	7,219	5,710	9,619	7,604	4,700	4,617	3,881
10 to 11 „ -	4,985	6,500	6,459	5,407	8,744	6,935	4,601	3,766
11 to 12 „ -	3,994	4,269	5,690	6,075	4,827	8,339	6,631	3,805
12 to 13 „ -	3,976	3,447	3,685	4,933	4,862	3,458	5,034	2,966
13 to 14 „ -	2,960	3,510	3,175	3,386	4,392	4,205	2,964	3,679
14 to 15 „ -	2,321	2,810	3,196	3,106	3,297	3,979	3,392	2,426
15 to 16 , -	3,322	2,137	2,516	3,038	2,829	2,915	3,527	2,855
16 to 17 „ -	5,546	3,032	1,917	2,420	2,948	2,513	2,688	3,090
17 to 18 „ -	6,719	5,263	2,775	2,007	2,259	2,771	2,255	2,415
18 to 19 „ -	9,194	6,239	4,651	2,882	1,878	2,266	2,273	2,004
19 to 20 „ -	5,096	8,104	5,132	4,146	2,396	1,576	1,840	2,093
20 to 21 „ -	3,214	4,638	6,474	4,810	3,798	2,236	1,315	1,593
Over 21 „ -	1,886	1,243	1,841	2,892	2,859	2,644	1,847	1,456
Not reported -	1,625	1,504	8,939	1,292	1,412	1,325	1,675	549
Total -	181,875	182,332	184,067	183,942	181,233	181,742	185,518	173,529
	Proportion per 1,000 men.							
Under 1 year	147	133	133	127	122	126	114	171
1 to 2 years	78	126	109	115	112	108	108	107
2 to 3 „ -	81	76	117	107	109	107	100	113
3 to 5 „ -	124	131	140	179	208	211	195	197
5 to 11 „ -	303	286	267	255	247	243	*299	248
11 to 16 „ -	92	90	104	112	112	127	117	91
Over 16 „ -	175	158	130	105	90	78	67	73

* The increase in the proportion of the number of men having between 5 and 11
Army Reserve mobilised in 1882 not having

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the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the 1st January in each 1877 to 1892.

Effectives.								Past Services.
1st Jan. 1885.	1st Jan. 1886.	1st Jan. 1887.	1st Jan. 1888.	1st Jan. 1889.	1st Jan. 1890.	1st Jan. 1891.	1st Jan. 1892.	
31,758	35,083	34,373	28,737	23,040	26,638	27,973	31,296	Under 1 year.
25,911	28,433	31,263	30,478	25,718	21,078	23,898	24,908	1 to 2 years.
17,683	24,986	27,213	29,956	29,488	24,604	20,137	22,531	2 to 3 „
18,247	16,325	23,453	25,399	28,313	27,074	22,109	18,869	3 to 4 „
15,726	17,629	16,340	22,286	23,698	26,009	25,275	21,289	4 to 5 „
15,126	15,040	16,118	13,992	20,551	22,174	24,471	23,467	5 to 6 „
9,177	8,474	8,821	11,337	12,496	19,400	20,851	23,261	6 to 7 „
6,671	7,924	6,414	6,527	7,997	7,652	12,045	11,649	7 to 8 „
4,929	5,200	5,543	4,975	4,689	3,769	3,390	4,266	8 to 9 „
3,193	4,585	4,937	4,906	4,345	4,050	3,310	3,223	9 to 10 „
3,685	2,924	4,282	3,951	3,742	3,056	3,265	3,059	10 to 11 „
3,373	3,519	2,781	3,787	3,463	2,948	2,545	2,807	11 to 12 „
1,962	1,724	1,682	1,437	1,939	1,732	1,716	1,580	12 to 13 „
2,294	1,491	1,398	1,390	1,176	1,523	1,536	1,474	13 to 14 „
2,895	2,044	1,323	1,281	1,330	1,067	1,405	1,306	14 to 15 „
2,102	2,740	1,788	1,284	1,108	1,219	966	1,248	15 to 16 „
2,632	1,867	2,431	1,638	1,117	1,030	1,084	898	16 to 17 „
2,745	2,451	1,748	2,282	1,533	1,014	932	989	17 to 18 „
2,090	2,456	2,251	1,636	2,018	1,366	940	835	18 to 19 „
1,830	1,809	2,145	1,850	1,290	1,613	1,062	724	19 to 20 „
1,892	1,664	1,656	1,920	1,582	1,079	1,360	998	20 to 21 „
1,492	1,528	1,503	1,484	1,598	1,529	1,376	1,391	Over 21 „
3,595	3,033	1,044	527	530	224	470	1,095	Not reported.
181,008	192,929	200,507	203,060	202,761	201,848	202,116	203,163	Total.
Proportion per 1,000 men.								
179	185	172	142	114	132	139	155	Under 1 year.
146	150	157	150	127	105	119	123	1 to 2 years.
99	131	136	148	146	122	99	111	2 to 3 „
192	179	200	236	257	263	235	199	3 to 5 „
241	232	231	226	266	298	334	341	5 to 11 „
71	61	45	45	45	42	41	42	11 to 16 „
72	62	59	53	45	38	33	29	Over 16 „

years' service is due to the complete demobilisation of the portion of the 1st Class been effected on 1st January 1883.

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TABLE 58.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the Terms of Engagement of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892.

Date.	Unlimited Service					Long Service. 1st Period.					Re-engaged Men.					Short Service. Original engagements.					Short Service. Men who have extended their service.					Not reported.	Total.	Year.
	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	Serjeants.	Drummers.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.			
1st January 1873 -	103	12	23	190	328	2,285	2,533	4,807	81,438	91,063	10,104	1,199	5,923	54,801	72,027	11	23	135	17,768	17,937	—	—	—	—	—	1,213	182,568	1873
1st January 1874 -	96	3	7	62	168	2,350	2,427	4,856	73,853	83,486	10,000	1,164	5,535	51,815	68,514	37	72	490	24,233	24,832	—	—	—	—	—	1,337	178,337	1874
1st January 1875 -	50	1	6	35	92	2,434	2,385	4,871	69,302	78,992	9,823	1,112	5,113	47,788	63,836	132	132	1,011	32,405	33,680						1,676	178,276	1875
1st January 1876 -	33	1	3	25	62	2,607	2,367	4,651	61,813	71,438	9,633	1,024	4,835	45,362	60,854	272	262	1,527	39,993	42,054						1,448	175,856	1876
1st January 1877 -	26	—	1	15	42	2,796	2,306	4,496	54,356	63,954	9,304	965	4,661	42,016	56,946	469	324	1,810	56,705	59,308	Included in preceding columns.					1,625	181,875	1877
1st January 1878 -	20	—	—	16	36	2,958	2,289	4,462	48,212	57,921	8,881	901	4,421	38,269	52,472	547	346	2,232	67,274	70,399						1,504	182,332	1878
1st January 1879 -	15	—	1	3	19	2,904	2,088	4,092	41,265	50,349	8,340	838	3,979	32,812	45,969	1,098	451	2,831	74,327	78,707						9,023	184,067	1879
1st January 1880 -	18	—	1	2	21	3,301	2,115	3,801	37,520	46,737	7,775	794	3,628	28,781	40,978	872	494	3,089	84,838	89,293	587	61	366	2,174	3,188	3,725	183,942	1880
1st January 1881 -	11	—	—	1	12	3,038	2,094	3,405	33,428	41,965	7,417	732	3,641	24,976	36,766	1,207	536	3,669	91,746	97,158	785	65	446	2,529	3,825	1,507	181,233	1881
1st January 1882 -	9	—	—	2	11	2,739	2,053	2,959	29,920	37,671	7,536	543	3,492	20,816	32,387	1,472	632	4,078	99,205	105,387	950	89	546	3,119	4,704	1,582	181,742	1882
1st January 1883 -	—	—	—	—	—	2,354	2,065	2,559	24,988	31,966	6,855	420	3,173	17,507	27,955	1,820	775	4,860	110,195	117,650	1,231	101	719	3,948	5,999	1,948	185,518	1883
1st January1 884 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,959	2,072	2,172	18,969	25,172	6,634	369	3,001	15,016	25,020	1,642	703	4,844	103,084	110,273	1,920	174	1,226	9,107	12,427	637	173,529	1884
1st January1 885 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,704	2,054	1,806	16,614	22,178	6,537	270	2,671	12,915	22,393	1,634	734	5,144	109,436	116,948	2,372	193	1,537	11,706	15,808	3,681	181,008	1885
1st January 1886 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,590	2,103	1,593	14,680	19,966	6,361	231	2,310	11,165	20,067	1,716	764	5,635	122,678	130,793	2,879	222	1,823	14,146	19,070	3,033	192,929	1886
1st January 1887 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,309	2,131	1,346	12,992	17,868	6,302	202	2,170	9,687	18,361	1,668	734	5,070	134,384	142,756	3,282	263	2,158	14,775	20,478	1,044	200,507	1887
1st January 1888 -	—	—	—	—	—	1,206	2,175	1,215	11,681	16,277	6,285	184	2,069	8,512	17,050	1,864	607	6,316	140,418	149,295	3,420	346	2,179	13,953	19,898	540	203,060	1888
1st January 1889 -	—	—	—	—	—	992	2,196	1,026	10,735	14,949	6,350	159	1,990	7,361	15,860	2,064	646	6,665	144,257	153,632	3,389	391	2,130	11,881	17,791	529	202,761	1889
1st January 1890 -	—	—	—	—	—	995	2,197	981	9,999	14,172	6,236	132	1,775	6,257	14,400	2,213	588	6,970	146,831	156,602	3,600	440	2,148	10,262	16,450	224	201,848	1890
1st January 1891 -	—	—	—	—	—	927	2,257	958	9,989	14,131	6,205	117	1,589	5,593	13,504	2,146	472	6,939	147,639	157,196	3,885	521	2,385	10,024	16,815	470	202,116	1891
1st January 1892 -	—	—	—	—	—	946	2,345	940	10,161	14,392	6,001	115	1,454	4,963	12,533	2,120	360	6,901	148,381	157,762	4,184	582	2,667	9,948	17,381	1,095	203,163	1892

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PART VI.

AGES, HEIGHTS, AND CHEST MEASUREMENTS.

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PART VI.—AGES, HEIGHTS,

TABLE 59.—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the Colonies and

(*a.*) Sergeants.

Corps.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.
AT HOME.										
Household Cavalry	—	—	—	—	—	4	9	17	17	10
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	3	8	16	17	54	64	61	72
Royal Artillery	—	—	5	8	21	37	44	51	68	83
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	4	4	9	18	19	34	35
Foot Guards	—	—	—	—	3	13	14	38	29	30
Infantry of the Line	—	—	20	52	178	305	303	275	237	277
Army Service Corps	—	—	1	2	4	16	36	27	37	32
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	6
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	8	5	5	7	3	9	4
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	1	3	5	6	6	2	2
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	—	3	5	7	14	13
Total	—	—	29	83	234	414	496	507	509	564
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.										
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	2	2	4	7	4	1
Royal Artillery	—	—	2	3	8	10	23	15	18	22
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	2	2	12	14	16	23
Infantry of the Line	—	2	6	23	46	99	142	146	106	109
Colonial Corps	—	—	1	—	3	4	9	12	14	12
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	2	2
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	5	3	5	3	2	2	1
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	1	3	6
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	8	6	4
Total	—	2	9	32	65	122	197	208	171	183
IN INDIA.										
Cavalry of the Line	—	1	1	1	6	9	25	27	23	35
Royal Artillery	—	—	3	4	14	20	31	44	50	63
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line	1	1	4	16	49	118	210	269	234	253
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	15	13	10	6	4	3	5
Total	1	2	8	36	82	157	272	344	310	356
General Total	1	4	46	151	381	693	965	1,059	990	1,103
Proportion per 1,000	4		11	29	52		73	79	75	83
	96						396			

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AND CHEST MEASUREMENTS.

several arms of the service on the 1st January 1892, at Home, in the
in India.

(*a.*) Sergeants.

	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
	9	10	10	17	7	12	12	6	6	6	3	4	—	—	159
	98	62	73	49	65	56	42	36	43	33	34	51	2	2	936
	101	69	75	70	71	75	70	52	48	64	65	118	6	—	1,201
	20	54	37	40	45	38	40	50	32	31	33	84	—	—	627
	22	26	28	14	20	13	11	8	5	6	8	9	2	—	299
	284	199	178	173	167	109	81	78	77	83	79	203	17	24	3,399
	28	26	24	29	28	24	21	18	14	14	10	12	—	—	403
	4	4	4	8	8	8	1	8	7	1	2	1	2	—	65
	6	3	7	5	8	14	7	10	5	6	4	38	—	—	154
	5	3	4	8	3	—	1	1	1	—	—	3	—	—	54
	24	20	27	23	17	26	14	16	20	6	5	14	1	—	255
	596	476	467	436	439	375	300	283	258	250	243	537	30	26	7,552
	8	8	5	4	3	4	1	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	56
	38	22	20	21	31	15	11	10	9	10	3	8	1	9	309
	25	20	30	25	16	16	9	23	7	6	8	11	—	—	265
	96	76	62	51	33	32	22	20	15	13	7	15	—	—	1,121
	18	18	12	16	7	8	7	4	8	3	1	15	—	—	172
	5	7	5	4	5	5	1	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	45
	—	2	5	5	5	5	4	4	3	2	2	1	—	—	41
	1	1	2	2	1	3	1	2	3	3	4	1	—	—	45
	6	2	3	4		1	3	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	33
	6	10	3	12	3	6	7	3	5	2	2	—	—	—	78
	203	166	147	144	106	95	66	71	53	40	28	52	1	9	2,170
	36	29	34	26	26	23	27	24	10	12	9	15	—	—	399
	62	52	59	56	51	50	33	43	22	25	25	32	—	—	739
	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	3
	235	182	155	122	121	97	76	50	40	29	33	28	1	34	2,358
	7	8	6	4	5	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	—	—	97
	340	271	255	208	203	172	137	119	73	68	69	78	1	34	3,596
	1,139	913	869	788	748	642	503	473	384	358	340	667	32	69	13,318
	86	69	66	59	57	48	38	36	29	27	26	53		—	1,000
		299					156								

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TABLE 59—*continued.*—Ages of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Colonies and

(*b.*) Corporals and Bombardiers.

Corps.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.
AT HOME.											
Household Cavalry	—	—	—	—	5	3	8	5	5	5	1
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	1	27	41	85	67	90	74	55	41
Royal Artillery	3	7	29	66	118	123	128	121	90	98	93
Royal Engineers	—	1	8	15	28	37	45	60	64	53	54
Foot Guards	—	2	4	4	30	59	55	43	27	21	11
Infantry of the Line	4	70	221	288	434	507	470	310	239	165	126
Army Service Corps	—	—	2	6	27	39	52	40	30	42	26
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	8	—	7	6
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	—	1	1	2	—	5	34	33	24	14	15
Total	7	81	266	408	685	858	861	710	553	455	373
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.											
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	—	—	4	5	3	6	4	2	2
Royal Artillery	—	1	2	12	21	50	38	43	37	21	12
Royal Engineers	—	—	1	3	12	23	34	39	30	29	26
Infantry of the Line	—	4	29	72	135	143	177	136	96	63	37
Colonial Corps	—	1	1	—	7	14	14	22	19	18	14
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	—	—	3	5	6	5	4	5
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	9	4	8	3
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	1	1	7	9	10	8	5
Total	—	6	33	87	180	239	282	270	214	153	104
IN INDIA.											
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	1	9	15	22	43	30	40	35	15
Royal Artilery	1	2	14	33	64	109	133	143	98	95	71
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line	—	1	15	61	136	188	351	366	275	194	128
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	1	3	30	103	215	319	527	539	413	324	214
General Total	8	90	329	598	1,080	1,416	1,670	1,519	1,180	932	691
Proportion per 1,000	8		28	50	90	118	140	127	98	78	58
			426					410			

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of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1892, at Home, in the in India.

(*b.*) Corporals and Bombardiers.

29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
5	3	2	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	47
31	20	23	10	11	6	8	6	8	4	4	5	—	—	617
70	44	32	33	21	18	18	32	20	21	21	63	2	—	1,266
47	41	34	19	16	9	10	11	13	4	5	11	—	—	585
9	3	5	6	—	2	1	—	1	2	1	1	1	—	288
109	65	60	51	37	32	26	25	12	16	17	31	1	—	3,316
11	9	9	5	4	3	3	4	3	2	5	1	—	—	323
7	5	6	3	3	2	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	53
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9	10	6	13	4	5	8	11	6	4	5	10	—	—	220
298	200	177	142	97	78	75	89	63	54	58	123	4	—	6,715
4	5	—	2	1	1	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	42
14	13	6	4	4	1	3	1	2	1	1	5	—	11	303
21	23	14	8	2	3	2	2	—	1	—	3	—	—	285
34	21	17	9	4	5	1	5	1	1	—	2	—	—	992
10	4	8	3	5	2	—	—	1	3	2	7	—	—	155
1	2	2	2	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	37
4	1	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	2	3	3	2	2	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	60
92	71	52	31	18	16	8	11	5	7	3	17	—	11	1,910
13	12	8	6	3	7	6	2	1	—	2	3	—	9	282
59	42	32	26	20	15	13	9	11	10	9	13	—	—	1,022
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
120	56	39	28	24	26	14	11	8	5	4	8	—	—	2,058
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
192	110	79	60	47	48	33	22	20	15	15	24	—	9	3,362
582	381	308	233	162	142	116	122	88	76	76	164	4	20	11,987
49	32	26	19	13	12	10	10	8	6	6	14		—	1,000
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TABLE 59—*continued.*—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men in the Colonies

(*c.*) Privates, Drummers, &c.

Corps.	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.
AT HOME.												
Household Cavalry -	14	25	63	77	96	74	96	80	83	78	65	53
Cavalry of the Line -	196	764	1,451	1,301	1,016	791	788	778	739	468	326	210
Royal Artillery - -	550	1,494	2,456	2,019	1,232	911	985	971	736	505	399	326
Royal Engineers - -	207	148	399	464	384	376	360	274	285	248	122	76
Foot Guards - -	101	293	630	771	720	516	404	353	321	195	125	103
Infantry of the Line -	1,480	9,321	11,287	6,016	3,253	2,773	3,051	3,284	2,050	1,183	696	639
Army Service Corps -	48	177	335	354	374	249	196	148	109	81	56	33
Ordnance Store Corps	13	25	38	23	50	48	43	40	42	33	14	15
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	13	5	1	3	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	22	112	170	193	142	119	118	103	94	50	49	47
Total - -	2,631	12,359	16,829	11,218	7,280	5,862	6,042	6,034	4,450	2,841	1,852	1,502
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.												
Cavalry of the Line -	7	5	15	39	45	78	105	81	58	47	33	14
Royal Artillery - -	41	99	217	296	374	329	459	464	436	416	241	164
Royal Engineers -	25	7	13	66	103	124	107	133	109	122	73	51
Infantry of the Line -	314	342	1,243	2,432	2,598	2,473	2,532	2,443	2,193	1,380	811	466
Colonial Corps - -	33	37	164	225	244	305	264	318	264	191	158	141
Army Service Corps -	—	—	—	5	2	5	7	7	7	9	3	4
Ordnance Store Corps -	—	—	2	4	2	10	12	25	17	13	6	4
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps -	—	—	15	22	43	44	53	38	31	21	15	14
Total - -	420	490	1,669	3,089	3,411	3,368	3,539	3,509	3,115	2,199	1,340	858
IN INDIA.												
Cavalry of the Line -	51	24	86	435	554	556	662	726	621	432	264	182
Royal Artillery - -	85	48	99	787	1,192	1,355	1,294	1,269	1,294	952	701	516
Royal Engineers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line -	455	187	361	3,540	5,861	5,965	6,485	6,535	6,244	3,845	2,256	1,461
Corps of Armourers -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Total - -	591	259	546	4,762	7,607	7,876	8,441	8,530	8,159	5,229	3,221	2,160
General Total -	3,642	13,108	19,044	19,069	18,298	17,106	18,022	18,073	15,724	10,269	6,413	4,520
Proportion per 1,000 men - -	21	74	108	108	103	97	102	102	89	58	36	26
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of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1892, at Home, and in India.

(*c.*) Privates, Drummers, &c.

29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
44	32	27	14	20	11	17	9	6	7	7	7	—	—	1,005
142	88	76	37	43	41	29	32	24	27	18	26	—	—	9,411
308	275	177	130	151	111	115	107	91	105	105	265	12	—	14,536
58	52	25	20	31	15	15	6	3	4	2	30	1	—	3,605
77	58	31	30	18	24	11	19	13	7	13	18	4	—	4,855
582	371	275	182	176	157	154	118	93	111	120	285	12	54	47,723
21	15	10	11	7	5	6	5	4	7	8	11	—	—	2,261
8	10	6	3	5	—	2	1	2	—	1	—	4	—	426
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20	32	23	17	11	15	5	10	16	8	9	10	—	—	1,395
1,260	933	650	444	462	379	354	307	252	276	283	652	33	54	85,239
13	11	2	1	2	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	5	563
152	100	71	33	14	15	15	6	5	3	4	13	—	151	4,118
39	26	18	9	5	2	4	5	2	—	—	11	—	—	1,054
349	258	131	87	58	67	31	28	20	9	12	14	—	41	20,332
139	90	79	37	26	20	11	7	9	8	5	31	—	14	2,820
6	3	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	62
3	—	2	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	105
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	9	9	3	5	4	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	334
706	497	315	173	110	111	62	46	39	20	22	69	—	211	29,388
118	96	41	16	7	9	8	8	9	3	4	6	1	75	4,994
381	295	157	106	55	45	50	33	24	16	17	31	1	—	10,803
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,257	801	473	288	192	127	113	85	71	38	47	74	6	666	47,433
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
1,756	1,192	671	410	254	181	171	126	104	57	68	111	8	741	63,231
3,722	2,622	1,636	1,027	826	671	587	479	395	353	373	832	41	1,006	177,858
21	15	9	6	4	4	3	3	2	2	2	5		—	1,000
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TABLE 59—*continued (d.)*—Ages of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Colonies and

Corps.	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.
AT HOME.												
Household Cavalry	14	25	63	77	96	79	99	92	97	100	87	64
Cavalry of the Line	196	764	1,451	1,302	1,046	840	889	862	883	606	442	323
Royal Artillery	550	1,497	2,463	2,048	1,303	1,037	1,129	1,136	901	646	560	502
Royal Engineers	207	148	400	472	399	408	401	328	363	331	209	165
Foot Guards	101	293	632	775	724	546	466	421	378	260	175	144
Infantry of the Line	1,480	9,325	11,357	6,237	3,561	3,259	3,736	4,059	2,663	1,697	1,098	1,042
Army Service Corps	48	177	335	356	381	278	239	216	176	138	135	91
Ordnance Store Corps	13	25	38	23	50	50	43	42	50	33	22	27
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	13	13	6	8	7	3	9	4
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	5	6	6	2	2
Medical Staff Corps	22	112	171	194	144	119	123	140	132	81	77	75
Total	2,631	12,366	16,910	11,484	7,717	6,630	7,134	7,309	5,656	3,901	2,816	2,439
IN THE COLONIES AND EGYPT.												
Cavalry of the Line	7	5	15	39	45	82	112	86	68	58	39	17
Royal Artillery	41	99	218	298	388	353	517	512	502	468	280	198
Royal Engineers	25	7	13	67	106	136	132	169	160	175	118	100
Infantry of the Line	314	342	1,247	2,403	2,676	2,631	2,721	2,719	2,471	1,622	980	612
Colonial Corps	33	37	165	226	245	312	281	336	295	222	190	167
Army Service Corps	—	—	—	5	2	5	10	12	15	17	9	11
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	2	4	2	10	12	29	26	17	14	10
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	5	3	5	3	2	2	1
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	1	3	6
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	15	22	43	45	55	45	40	39	29	23
Total	420	490	1,675	3,124	3,507	3,580	3,843	3,913	3,582	2,621	1,664	1,145
IN INDIA.												
Cavalry of the Line	51	24	86	437	564	572	690	778	676	499	322	232
Royal Artillery	85	49	101	801	1,228	1,423	1,417	1,422	1,468	1,094	846	650
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line	455	187	363	3,556	5,926	6,117	6,722	7,004	6,820	4,389	2,684	1,842
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	15	13	10	6	4	3	6
Total	591	260	550	4,794	7,718	8,127	8,842	9,214	8,970	5,986	3,855	2,730
General Total	3,642	13,116	19,135	19,402	18,942	18,337	19,819	20,436	18,208	12,508	8,335	6,314
Proportion per 1,000 men	18	65	95	96	93	91	98	100	88	62	43	35
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of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1892, at Home, in the in India.

29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
58	45	39	33	28	24	29	15	12	13	10	12	—	—	1,211
266	170	172	96	119	103	79	74	75	64	56	82	2	2	10,964
479	388	284	233	243	204	203	191	159	190	191	446	20	—	17,003
125	147	96	79	92	62	65	67	48	39	40	125	1	—	4,817
108	87	64	50	38	39	23	27	19	15	22	28	7	—	5,442
975	635	513	407	379	298	261	221	182	210	216	519	30	78	54,438
60	50	43	45	39	32	30	27	21	23	23	24	—	—	2,987
19	19	16	14	16	10	4	9	9	2	3	1	6	—	544
6	3	7	5	8	14	7	10	5	6	4	38	—	—	176
5	3	4	8	3	—	1	1	1	—	—	3	—	—	54
53	62	56	53	32	46	27	37	42	18	19	34	1	—	1,870
2,154	1,609	1,294	1,023	997	832	729	679	573	580	584	1,312	67	80	99,506
25	24	7	7	6	6	2	1	1	2	1	1	—	5	661
204	135	97	58	49	31	29	17	16	14	8	26	1	171	4,730
85	69	62	42	23	21	15	30	9	7	8	25	—	—	1,604
479	355	210	147	95	104	54	53	36	23	19	31	—	41	22,445
167	112	99	56	38	30	18	11	18	14	8	53	—	14	3,147
12	12	10	7	5	6	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	144
7	3	9	7	5	8	4	4	3	2	3	1	—	—	182
1	1	2	2	1	3	1	2	3	3	4	1	—	—	45
6	2	3	4	2	1	3	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	38
15	21	15	18	10	12	9	5	7	2	2	—	—	—	472
1001	734	514	348	234	222	136	128	97	67	53	138	1	231	33,468
167	137	83	48	36	39	41	34	20	15	15	24	1	84	5,675
502	389	248	188	126	110	96	85	57	51	51	76	1	—	12,564
—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	3
1,612	1,039	667	437	338	250	203	146	119	72	84	110	7	700	51,849
7	8	6	4	5	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	—	—	98
2,288	1,573	1,005	677	505	401	341	267	197	140	152	213	9	784	70,189
5,443	3,916	2,813	2,048	1,736	1,455	1,206	1,074	867	787	789	1,663	77	1,095	203,163
27	20	14	10	9	7	6	5	4	3	3	8		—	1,000
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TABLE 59—*continued.*—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

(*a.*) Sergeants—Home and Abroad.

—	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	—	—	—	—	—	4	9	17	17	10	9	10	10	17	7	12	12	6	6	6	3	4	—	—	159
Cavalry of the Line	—	1	4	9	24	28	83	98	88	108	137	99	112	79	94	83	70	60	53	46	44	67	2	2	1,391
Royal Artillery	—	—	10	15	43	67	98	110	136	168	201	143	154	147	153	140	114	105	79	99	93	158	7	9	2,249
Royal Engineers	—	—	—	4	6	11	30	33	50	58	45	74	68	65	61	54	49	73	39	37	41	97	—	—	895
Foot Guards	—	—	—	—	3	13	14	38	29	30	22	26	28	14	20	13	11	8	5	6	8	9	2	—	299
Infantry of the Line	1	3	30	91	273	522	655	690	577	639	615	457	395	346	321	238	179	148	132	125	119	246	18	58	6,878
Colonial Corps	—	—	1	—	3	4	9	12	14	12	18	18	12	16	7	8	7	4	8	3	1	15	—	—	172
Army Service Corps	—	—	1	2	4	16	38	30	39	34	33	33	29	33	33	29	22	20	16	14	10	12	—	—	448
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	9	4	6	9	13	13	13	5	12	10	3	4	2	2	—	106
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	28	21	20	16	9	14	10	14	12	15	11	14	19	9	14	9	11	10	40	—	—	296
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	—	—	—	2	3	5	8	7	5	8	11	5	7	12	5	1	4	4	2	—	—	3	—	—	92
Medical Staff Corps	—	—	—	—	1	3	5	15	20	17	30	30	30	35	20	32	21	19	25	8	7	14	1	—	333
Total	1	4	46	151	381	693	965	1,059	990	1,103	1,139	913	869	788	748	642	503	473	384	358	340	667	32	69	13,318

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TABLE 59—*continued.*—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

(*b.*) Corporals, &c.—Home and Abroad.

Corps.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	—	—	—	—	5	3	8	5	5	5	1	5	3	2	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	47
Cavalry of the Line	—	—	2	36	60	112	113	126	118	92	58	48	37	31	18	15	14	15	9	9	5	6	8	—	9	941
Royal Artillery -	4	10	45	111	203	282	299	307	225	209	176	143	99	70	63	45	34	34	42	33	32	31	81	2	11	2,591
Royal Engineers -	—	1	9	18	40	60	79	99	103	82	80	68	64	48	27	18	12	12	13	13	5	5	14	—	—	870
Foot Guards - -	—	2	4	4	30	59	55	43	27	21	11	9	3	5	6	—	2	1	—	1	2	1	1	1	—	288
Infantry of the Line	4	75	265	421	705	838	998	812	610	422	291	263	142	116	88	65	63	41	41	21	22	21	41	1	—	6,306
Colonial Corps -	—	1	1	—	7	14	14	22	19	18	14	10	4	8	3	5	2	—	—	1	3	2	7	—	—	155
Army Service Corps	—	—	2	6	27	42	57	46	35	46	31	12	11	11	7	4	4	3	4	4	2	5	1	—	—	360
Ordnance Store Corps	—	—	—	—	2	—	6	17	4	15	9	11	6	8	3	3	3	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	89
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	—	1	1	2	1	6	41	42	34	22	20	13	12	9	16	6	7	9	13	6	4	5	10	—	—	280
Total - -	8	90	329	598	1,080	1,416	1,670	1,519	1,180	932	691	582	381	308	233	162	142	116	122	88	76	76	164	4	20	11,987

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TABLE 59—*continued.*—AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.

(*c.*) Privates and Drummers, &c.—Home and Abroad.

—	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	14	25	63	77	96	74	96	80	83	78	65	53	44	32	27	14	20	11	17	9	6	7	7	7	—	—	1,005
Cavalry of the Line	254	793	1,552	1,775	1,615	1,425	1,555	1,585	1,418	947	623	406	273	195	119	54	52	51	37	40	34	30	22	32	1	80	14,968
Royal Artillery -	676	1,641	2,772	3,102	2,798	2,595	2,738	2,704	2,466	1,873	1,341	1,006	841	670	405	269	220	171	180	146	120	124	126	309	13	151	20,457
Royal Engineers -	232	155	412	530	487	500	467	407	394	370	195	127	97	78	43	29	36	17	19	11	5	4	2	41	1	—	4,659
Foot Guards - -	101	293	630	771	720	516	404	353	321	195	125	103	77	58	31	30	18	24	11	19	13	7	13	18	4	—	4,855
Infantry of the Line	2,249	9,850	12,891	11,988	11,712	11,211	12,068	12,262	10,487	6,408	3,763	2,566	2,188	1,430	879	557	426	351	298	231	184	158	179	373	18	761	115,488
Colonial Corps -	33	37	164	225	244	305	264	318	264	191	158	141	139	90	79	37	26	20	11	7	9	8	5	31	—	14	2,820
Army Service Corps	48	177	335	359	376	254	203	155	107	90	59	37	27	18	13	12	7	5	6	5	4	7	8	11	—	—	2,323
OrdnanceStoreCorps	13	25	40	27	52	58	55	65	59	46	20	19	11	10	8	5	5	2	2	1	2	—	2	—	4	—	531
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	13	5	1	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	23
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medical Staff Corps	22	112	185	215	185	163	171	141	125	71	64	61	25	41	32	20	16	19	6	10	18	8	9	10	—	—	1,729
Total - -	3,642	13,108	19,044	19,069	18,298	17,106	18,022	18,073	15,724	10,269	6,413	4,520	3,722	2,622	1,636	1,027	826	671	587	479	395	353	373	832	41	1,006	177,858

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TABLE 59—*continued.*—(*d.*) Ages of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, &c.—Home and Abroad.

Corps.	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	25 to 26 years.	26 to 27 years.	27 to 28 years.	28 to 29 years.	29 to 30 years.	30 to 31 years.	31 to 32 years.	32 to 33 years.	33 to 34 years.	34 to 35 years.	35 to 36 years.	36 to 37 years.	37 to 38 years.	38 to 39 years.	39 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	Upwards of 50 years.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	14	25	63	77	96	79	99	92	97	100	87	64	58	45	39	33	28	24	29	15	12	13	10	12	—	—	1,211
Cavalry of the Line	254	793	1,552	1,778	1,655	1,494	1,691	1,726	1,627	1,163	803	572	458	331	262	151	161	148	122	109	96	81	72	107	3	91	17,300
Royal Artillery -	676	1,645	2,782	3,147	2,919	2,813	3,063	3,070	2,871	2,208	1,686	1,350	1,185	912	629	479	418	345	328	293	232	255	250	548	22	171	34,297
Royal Engineers -	232	155	413	539	505	544	533	497	523	506	327	265	210	216	159	121	115	83	80	97	57	46	48	152	1	—	6,424
Foot Guards - -	101	293	632	775	724	546	466	421	378	260	175	144	108	87	64	50	38	39	23	27	19	15	22	28	7	—	5,442
Infantry of the Line	2,249	9,854	12,967	12,256	12,163	12,007	13,179	13,782	11,954	7,708	4,762	3,496	3,066	2,029	1,390	991	812	652	518	420	337	305	319	660	37	819	128,732
Colonial Corps -	33	37	165	226	245	312	281	336	295	222	190	167	167	112	99	56	38	30	18	11	18	14	8	53	—	14	3,147
Army Service Corps	48	177	335	361	383	283	249	228	191	155	144	102	72	62	53	52	44	38	31	29	24	23	23	24	—	—	3,131
Ordnance Store Corps	13	25	40	27	52	60	55	71	76	50	36	37	26	22	25	21	21	18	8	13	12	4	6	2	6	—	726
Corps of Armourers	—	—	—	—	13	33	22	23	16	9	14	11	14	12	15	11	14	19	9	14	9	11	10	40	—	—	319
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	5	8	7	5	8	11	5	7	12	5	1	4	4	2	—	—	3	—	—	92
Medical Staff Corps	22	112	186	216	187	164	178	185	172	120	106	98	68	83	71	71	42	58	36	42	49	20	21	34	1	—	2,342
Total - -	3,642	13,116	19,135	19,402	18,942	18,337	19,819	20,436	18,208	12,508	8,335	6,314	5,443	3,916	2,813	2,048	1,736	1,455	1,206	1,074	867	787	789	1,663	77	1,095	203,163

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TABLE 60.—HEIGHTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January 1892, showing the several arms of the service.

Corps.	Under 5 feet 5 inches.	5 feet 5 inches and under 5 feet 6 inches.	5 feet 6 inches and under 5 feet 7 inches.	5 feet 7 inches and under 5 feet 8 inches.	5 feet 8 inches and under 5 feet 9 inches.	5 feet 9 inches and under 5 feet 10 inches.	5 feet 10 inches and under 5 feet 11 inches.	5 feet 11 inches and under 6 feet.	6 feet and upwards.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	18	10	19	15	14	10	18	375	732	—	1,211
Cavalry of the Line	249	224	2,750	4,018	4,288	2,558	1,326	647	249	91	17,300
Royal Artillery	3,619	3,873	5,283	6,720	5,764	4,186	2,512	1,394	775	171	34,297
Royal Engineers	288	558	1,291	1,507	1,156	816	447	241	120	—	6,424
Foot Guards	112	39	42	342	1,446	1,410	1,058	518	475	—	5,442
Infantry of the Line	18,686	27,593	29,332	21,832	13,831	8,404	4,733	2,369	1,133	819	128,732
Colonial Corps	198	424	529	615	525	420	188	148	86	14	3,147
Army Service Corps	889	837	587	360	198	139	69	41	11	—	3,131
Ordnance Store Corps	39	87	161	141	118	83	53	28	16	—	726
Corps of Armourers	11	38	49	46	58	58	26	22	11	—	319
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	4	13	16	10	11	20	4	11	3	—	92
Medical Staff Corps	547	492	449	318	227	166	86	35	22	—	2,342
Total	24,660	34,188	40,508	36,824	27,636	18,270	10,520	5,829	3,633	1,095	203,163
Proportion per 1,000 men	122	169	200	183	137	90	52	29	18	—	1,000
	491			500							

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TABLE 61.—CHEST MEASUREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January 1892, showing the several arms of the service.

Corps.	Under 33 inches.	33 inches and under 34 inches.	34 inches and under 35 inches.	35 inches and under 36 inches.	36 inches and under 37 inches.	37 inches and under 38 inches.	38 inches and under 39 inches.	39 inches and under 40 inches.	40 inches and over.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry -	12	11	19	77	170	270	275	198	179	—	1,211
Cavalry of the Line -	209	341	2,160	3,081	3,661	3,401	2,572	1,176	608	91	17,300
Royal Artillery - -	608	1,813	4,873	5,895	6,709	5,766	4,381	2,505	1,576	171	34,297
Royal Engineers - -	144	232	867	1,353	1,534	982	710	340	261	—	6,424
Foot Guards - -	106	107	444	935	1,213	1,076	855	435	271	—	5,442
Infantry of the Line -	3,556	9,438	22,932	28,444	29,411	17,620	10,545	3,750	2,217	819	128,732
Colonial Corps -	99	273	653	756	540	376	264	116	56	14	3,147
Army Service Corps -	26	284	746	616	602	410	237	130	80	—	3,131
Ordnance Store Corps -	12	23	107	148	161	114	95	47	19	—	726
Corps of Armourers -	15	44	63	43	44	32	44	24	10	—	319
Corps of Ordnance Artificers.	1	5	9	20	18	20	13	7	—	—	92
Medical Staff Corps -	24	217	601	552	406	241	142	80	79	—	2,342
General Total -	4,812	12,788	33,474	41,920	44,469	30,308	20,133	8,808	5,356	1,095	203,163
Proportion per 1,000 men	24	63	166	207	220	150	100	44	26	—	1,000
	680					320					

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TABLE 62.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the AGES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892.

Years.	Proportion per 1,000 men.							
	Under 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.
1873	20	49	86	317	208	191	107	22
1874	16	35	61	332	221	180	127	28
1875	17	30	50	343	220	156	149	35
1876	17	29	51	341	233	135	152	42
1877	16	39	58	347	242	123	140	35
1878	16	35	65	356	252	117	126	33
1879	16	32	58	375	258	123	102	36
1880	16	30	54	407	257	125	82	29
1881	17	34	53	413	254	130	74	25
1882	17	20*	78*	415	252	129	69	20
1883	15	10	64	427	278	131	61	14
1884	19	36†	64	459	240	108	60	14
1885	19	49	87	450	228	94	59	14
1886	18	53	95	468	220	82	51	13
1887	17	57	94	489	211	71	48	13
1888	17	48	91	497	223	70	41	13
1889	17	41	74	513	244	65	34	12
1890	17	53	77	502	250	60	31	10
1891	17	57	84	493	255	59	25	10
1892	18	65	95	478	255	60	21	8

	Abstract of the foregoing numbers.		
	Under 20 years.	20 to 30 years.	Over 30 years.
1873	155	525	320
1874	112	553	335
1875	97	563	340
1876	97	574	329
1877	113	589	298
1878	116	608	276
1879	106	633	261
1880	100	664	236
1881	104	667	229
1882	115	667	218
1883	89	705	206
1884	119†	699	182
1885	155	678	167
1886	166	688	146
1887	168	700	132
1888	156	720	124
1889	132	757	111
1890	147	752	101
1891	158	748	94
1892	178	733	89

* By G.O. 82 of 1881 the minimum age of Recruits was raised from 18 to 19 years.
† On 27th April 1883 authority was given to enlist (specially) Recruits at 18 years of age.

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TABLE 63.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the HEIGHTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892.

Years.	Proportion per 1,000 men.								
	Under 5 ft. 5 in.	5 ft. 5 in. to 5 ft. 6 in.	5 ft. 6 in. to 5 ft. 7 in.	5 ft. 7 in. to 5 ft. 8 in.	5 ft. 8 in. to 5 ft. 9 in.	5 ft. 9 in. to 5 ft. 10 in.	5 ft. 10 in. to 5 ft. 11 in.	5 ft. 11 in. to 6 ft.	6 ft. and upwards
1873	69	143	200	206	162	106	62	31	21
1874	62	138	196	206	168	113	63	32	22
1875	65	135	203	205	164	110	63	33	22
1876	68	137	200	204	165	109	62	33	22
1877	72	144	202	201	160	106	62	32	21
1878	71	151	207	202	158	102	58	31	20
1879	65	143	207	204	162	106	62	31	20
1880	56	134	208	209	168	109	64	32	20
1881	52	138	212	209	166	108	63	32	20
1882	60	138	210	206	161	110	63	32	20
1883	58	141	213	206	163	106	61	32	20
1884	91*	146	200	195	157	102	60	30	19
1885	101	152	196	189	153	100	60	30	19
1886	99	172	202	187	146	93	56	28	17
1887	102	176	205	187	141	90	55	27	17
1888	114	170	200	186	142	92	53	26	17
1889	106	170	205	188	143	93	52	26	17
1890	115	170	200	184	141	93	52	27	18
1891	117	167	203	182	140	93	52	28	18
1892	122	169	200	183	137	90	52	29	18

Years.	Abstract of the foregoing numbers.	
	Under 5 feet 7 inches.	Over 5 feet 7 inches.
1873	412	588
1874	396	604
1875	403	597
1876	405	595
1877	418	582
1878	429	571
1879	415	585
1880	398	602
1881	402	598
1882	408	592
1883	412	588
1884	437*	563
1885	449	551
1886	473	527
1887	483	517
1888	484	516
1889	481	519
1890	485	515
1891	487	513
1892	491	509

* On 27th April 1883 authority was given to enlist (specially) Recruits between 5 ft. 3 in. and 5 ft 4 in. in height.

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TABLE 64.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the CHEST MEASUREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men serving on the 1st January in each year from 1875 to 1892.

Years.	Proportion per 1,000 men.								
	Under 33 inches.	33 in. to 34 in.	34 in. to 35 in.	35 in. to 36 in.	36 in. to 37 in.	37 in. to 38 in.	38 in. to 39 in.	39 in. to 40 in.	40 in. and over.
1875	24	57	127	187	213	179	—	213	—
1876	22	47	116	172	220	191	—	232	—
1877	21	51	121	176	213	190	122	67	39
1878	21	48	120	180	213	186	125	66	41
1879	19	41	117	178	219	187	129	67	43
1880	18	34	107	178	225	193	133	69	43
1881	18	32	112	182	226	188	134	67	41
1882	17	28	112	179	226	192	134	69	43
1883	16	30	116	181	223	187	135	69	43
1884	20*	46*	131	180	215	180	126	63	39
1885	22	46	145	186	213	173	119	59	37
1886	20	49	151	201	217	168	110	52	32
1887	19	53	159	202	218	160	107	50	32
1888	19	46	156	204	227	163	105	48	32
1889	17	42	145	206	231	169	109	49	32
1890	19	49	155	205	229	162	106	46	29
1891	22	54	158	207	227	158	102	45	27
1892	24	63	166	207	220	150	100	44	26

Years.	Abstract of the foregoing numbers.	
	Under 37 inches.	Over 37 inches.
1875	608	392
1876	577	423
1877	582	418
1878	582	418
1879	574	426
1880	562	438
1881	570	430
1882	562	438
1883	566	434
1884	592	408
1885	612	388
1886	638	362
1887	651	349
1888	652	348
1889	641	359
1890	657	343
1891	668	332
1892	680	320

* On 27th April 1883 authority was given to enlist (specially) Recruits of a chest measurement of from 33 to 34 inches.

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PART VII.—NATIONALITIES, RELIGIONS, AND EDUCATION.

TABLE 65.—NATIONALITIES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1892.

Corps.	English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Born in India or the Colonies.	Foreigners.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1,021	110	72	8	—	—	1,211
Cavalry of the Line	14,407	1,194	1,385	210	12	92	17,300
Royal Artillery	26,008	2,093	5,106	877	42	171	34,297
Royal Engineers	5,270	397	580	174	3	—	6,424
Foot Guards	4,620	538	236	42	6	—	5,442
Infantry of the Line	96,011	11,392	18,951	1,504	55	819	128,732
Colonial Corps	24	3	9	3,096	1	14	3,147
Army Service Corps	2,933	73	180	45	—	—	3,131
Ordnance Store Corps	643	25	35	22	1	—	726
Corps of Armourers	246	42	19	12	—	—	319
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	83	4	3	2	—	—	92
Medical Staff Corps	1,965	122	212	40	3	—	2,342
General Total	153,131	15,993	26,788	6,032	123	1,096	203,163
Proportion per 1,000 men exclusive of Colonial Corps	769	80	135	15	1	—	1,000

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TABLE 66.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the several arms of the service on the 1st January 1892.

Corps.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Mahommedans, Hindoos, &c.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1,044	110	25	1	31	—	—	1,211
Cavalry of the Line	13,479	1,155	850	109	1,615	—	92	17,300
Royal Artillery	23,922	2,130	2,082	436	5,556	—	171	34,297
Royal Engineers	4,527	488	622	161	626	—	—	6,424
Foot Guards	4,121	495	315	68	443	—	—	5,442
Infantry of the Line	84,516	10,299	6,048	504	26,546	—	819	128,732
Colonial Corps	1,252	47	443	176	451	764	14	3,147
Army Service Corps	2,369	86	273	75	328	—	—	3,131
Ordnance Store Corps	531	44	66	15	70	—	—	726
Corps of Armourers	224	40	23	16	16	—	—	319
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	60	5	24	2	1	—	—	92
Medical Staff Corps	1,719	116	167	58	282	—	—	2,342
Total	137,764	15,015	10,938	1,621	35,965	764	1,096	203,163
Proportion per 1,000 men exclusive of Colonial Corps	686	75	53	7	179	—	—	1,000

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TABLE 67.—EDUCATIONAL ACQUIREMENTS of the Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men on the 1st January 1892, showing the different arms of the service.

Corps.	Total Strength on the 1st January 1892.	Certificates in possession on the 1st January 1892.				Per-centage of Certificated to Strength.	Certificates gained in 1891.			
		1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Total.		1st Class.	2nd Class	3rd Class.	Total.
Household Cavalry	1,217	28	269	329	626	51·44	3	21	49	73
Cavalry of the Line	17,356	228	3,708	2,939	6,875	39·61	30	447	595	1,072
Royal Artillery	34,398	590	7,606	5,823	14,019	40·76	98	1,192	1,464	2,754
Royal Engineers	6,518	159	2,249	1,537	3,945	60·52	34	341	398	773
Foot Guards	5,456	46	1,023	1,074	2,143	39·28	12	176	476	664
Infantry of the Line	129,073	1,079	22,143	19,741	42,963	33·29	176	3,485	5,371	9,032
Colonial Corps	3,154	12	227	254	493	15·63	2	54	45	101
Army Service Corps	3,246	173	1,003	579	1,755	54·07	18	168	134	320
Ordnance Store Corps	790	88	394	143	625	79·11	7	26	9	42
Corps of Armourers	319	2	23	18	43	13·48	—	2	—	2
Corps of Ordnance Artificers	93	7	7	—	14	15·05	2	1	—	3
Medical Staff Corps	2,374	111	980	244	1,335	56·23	13	116	53	182
Corps of Military Staff Clerks	424	188	236	—	424	100·00	8	—	—	8
General Total	204,418	2,711	39,868	32,681	75,260	36·82	403	6,029	8,594	15,026
Proportion per 1,000 men exclusive of Colonial Corps	—	13·41	196·96	161·12	371·49	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 68.—NATIONALITIES of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men at various periods from 1873 to 1892, exclusive of the West India regiment and Colonial corps.

Period.	English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Born in India or the Colonies.	Foreigners, &c.	Not reported.	Total.	Proportion per 1,000 men.				
								English.	Scotch.	Irish.	Born in India or the Colonies.	Foreigners, &c.
1 Jan. 1873 -	120,134	15,254	42,284		679	1,032	179,383	674	85	237	—	4
1 Jan. 1874 -	118,848	14,507	41,124	Not reported.	650	972	176,101	679	83	235	—	3
1 Jan. 1875 -	119,246	13,915	40,626		584	1,646	176,017	684	80	233	—	3
1 Jan. 1876 -	118,701	13,813	39,360		571	1,305	173,750	689	80	228	—	3
1 Jan. 1877 -	123,467	14,190	39,977		622	1,561	179,817	693	80	224	—	3
1 Jan. 1878 -	124,708	14,235	39,121		690	1,421	180,175	698	80	219	—	3
1 Jan. 1879 -	121,421	13,914	36,871		706	8,962	181,874	703	80	213	—	4
1 Jan. 1880 -	122,774	14,446	38,359	1,770	297	4,093	181,739	691	81	216	10	2
1 Jan. 1881 -	123,135	14,415	36,872	2,113	215	2,270	179,020	697	81	209	12	1
1 Jan. 1882 -	124,434	13,723	36,945	2,065	238	2,049	179,454	701	78	208	12	1
1 Jan. 1883 -	128,531	14,516	36,297	2,124	208	1,672	183,348	707	80	200	12	1
1 Jan. 1884 -	123,191	13,432	31,694	2,140	155	674	171,286	722	79	186	12	1
1 Jan. 1885 -	128,021	13,720	31,133	2,272	157	3,506	178,809	730	78	178	13	1
1 Jan. 1886 -	138,032	15,495	31,573	2,266	152	3,234	190,752	739	81	167	12	1
1 Jan. 1887 -	146,171	16,446	32,153	2,262	155	1,020	198,207	741	83	163	12	1
1 Jan. 1888 -	149,123	17,082	31,335	2,435	156	512	200,643	745	85	157	12	1
1 Jan. 1889 -	150,030	16,834	30,297	2,504	134	518	200,317	751	84	152	12	1
1 Jan. 1890 -	151,289	16,534	28,712	2,584	129	225	199,473	759	83	145	12	1
1 Jan. 1891 -	151,992	16,409	27,782	2,709	99	468	199,459	762	83	140	14	1
1 Jan. 1892 -	153,107	15,990	26,779	2,936	122	1,082	200,016	769	80	135	15	1

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TABLE 69.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men at various periods from 1873 to 1892, exclusive of the West India regiment and Colonial corps.

Year.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Not reported.	Total.	Proportion per 1,000 men.					Year.
								Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	
1 January 1873 -	115,621	15,782	—	5,962	40,986	1,032	179,383	648	89	—	33	230	1873
1 January 1874 -	114,030	15,166	—	6,446	39,488	971	176,101	651	86	—	37	226	1874
1 January 1875 -	113,614	14,629	—	6,401	39,727	1,646	176,017	651	84	—	37	228	1875
1 January 1876 -	112,876	14,320	—	6,224	38,971	1,359	173,750	656	82	—	36	226	1876
1 January 1877 -	116,585	14,342	—	6,737	40,591	1,562	179,817	654	80	—	38	228	1877
1 January 1878 -	116,223	14,060	—	7,033	41,437	1,422	180,175	650	79	—	39	232	1878
1 January 1879 -	112,419	13,662	—	7,117	39,713	8,963	181,874	650	79	—	41	230	1879
1 January 1880 -	113,808	14,019	—	7,254	41,911	4,747	181,739	643	79	—	41	237	1880
1 January 1881 -	114,123	13,947	—	7,334	41,335	2,271	179,020	646	79	—	41	234	1881
1 January 1882 -	115,065	13,472	6,422	1,258	41,091	2,146	179,454	649	76	36	7	232	1882
1 January 1883 -	117,866	13,973	6,757	1,136	41,943	1,673	183,348	649	77	37	6	231	1883
1 January 1884 -	112,605	12,619	7,037	1,050	37,300	675	171,286	660	74	41	6	219	1884
1 January 1885 -	116,005	12,690	7,517	1,030	38,062	3,505	178,809	662	72	43	6	217	1885
1 January 1886 -	124,550	14,343	8,422	1,122	39,133	3,182	190,752	664	76	45	6	209	1886
1 January 1887 -	131,637	15,040	9,133	1,024	40,352	1,021	198,207	668	76	46	5	205	1887
1 January 1888 -	133,737	15,585	10,066	1,297	39,446	512	200,643	668	78	51	6	197	1888
1 January 1889 -	134,247	15,680	10,025	1,167	38,679	519	200,317	672	78	50	6	194	1889
1 January 1890 -	134,973	15,444	10,387	1,166	37,278	225	199,473	677	78	52	6	187	1890
1 January 1891 -	135,505	15,160	10,397	1,234	36,695	468	199,459	680	76	53	7	184	1891
1 January 1892 -	136,512	14,968	10,495	1,445	35,514	1,082	200,016	686	75	53	7	179	1892

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TABLE 70.—EDUCATIONAL ACQUIREMENTS of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men at various periods from 1873 to 1892, exclusive of the West India regiment and Colonial corps.

Year.	Number who neither read nor write.	Number who can only read or write.	Number who can read and write.	Number of superior education.		Not reported.	Total.	Proportion per 1,000 men.					Year.
				Holding Certificates.	Not holding Certificates.			Number who neither read nor write.	Number who can only read or write.	Number who can read and write.	Number of superior education.		
											Holding Certificates.	Not holding Certificates.	
1 January 1873 -	10,724	9,543	99,910	58,179		1,027	179,383	60	54	560	326		1873
1 January 1874 - -	9,411	8,036	87,404	70,265		985	176,101	54	46	499	401		1874
1 January 1875 -	9,163	7,803	84,417	72,988		1,646	176,017	53	45	484	418		1875
1 January 1876 - -	8,540	7,614	78,748	77,490		1,358	173,750	50	44	456	450		1876
1 January 1877 -	8,518	6,841	79,098	83,799		1,561	179,817	48	38	444	470		1877
1 January 1878 - -	8,193	6,756	75,246	85,809		4,171	180,175	47	38	427	488		1878
1 January 1879 -	7,597	6,529	70,181	88,566		9,001	181,874	44	38	406	512		1879
1 January 1880 - -	7,340	7,129	60,404	101,746		5,120	181,739	42	40	342	576		1880
1 January 1881 -	7,002	5,938	43,834	118,927		3,229	179,020	40	34	249	677		1881
1 January 1882 - -	6,556	5,585	38,181	126,302		2,830	179,454	37	32	216	715		1882
1 January 1883 -	5,507	5,121	33,850	137,095		1,775	183,348	30	28	186	756		1883
1 January 1884 - -	5,375	3,952	27,690	133,478		791	171,286	32	23	162	783		1884
1 January 1885 -	5,174	4,219	26,676	138,038		4,702	178,809	30	24	153	793		1885
1 January 1886 - -	5,473	6,574	26,477	148,723		3,505	190,752	29	35	142	794		1886
1 January 1887 -	5,489	6,264	24,677	160,745		1,032	198,207	28	32	125	815		1887
1 January 1888 - -	4,454	5,153	19,747	170,768		521	200,643	22	26	99	853		1888
1 January 1889 -	3,814	4,499	20,874	170,522		608	200,317	19	22	105	854		1889
1 January 1890 - -		*61,563		76,388	*61,297	22	199,473		310		381	309	1890
1 January 1891 - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1891
1 January 1892† - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1892

N.B.—On the 1st January 1871 the heading of column 5 was changed to "Number of *better* education," and on the 1st January 1873 it was again altered, and now stands as follows, viz., "Number who are better educated, *i.e.*, all who are not included in foregoing columns."

* These numbers are only approximate, as under the provisions of General Order 198, of 1887, it is not compulsory for recruits to attend school, and accurate numbers under these headings are not therefore obtainable.

† *See* Table 67, for numbers reported by Director-General of Military Education for 1st January 1892.

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PART VIII.—TROOP, BATTERY, AND DRAUGHT HORSES AND MULES.

TABLE 71.—NUMBER of TROOP, BATTERY, and DRAUGHT HORSES and MULES in the different arms of the service on the 1st of each month during 1891, and the average strength during the year, distinguishing those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Months.	British Establishment.									Indian Establishment.				All Arms.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards and Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Unposted Remounts.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Total.	
1891.														
1st January - -	805	6,867	1,048	3,155	362	508	1,266	162	14,173	4,686	1,736	4,923	11,345	25,518
1st February -	806	6,876	1,066	3,171	369	506	1,273	145	14,212	4,673	1,729	4,937	11,339	25,551
1st March - -	821	6,995	1,073	3,175	378	520	1,279	139	14,380	4,624	1,726	4,981	11,331	25,711
1st April - -	830	7,019	1,079	3,184	378	517	1,271	170	14,448	4,486	1,719	5,019	11,224	25,672
1st May - -	833	7,130	1,088	3,214	385	518	1,273	161	14,602	4,586	1,711	4,988	11,285	25,887
1st June - -	825	7,004	1,089	3,202	385	564	1,283	222	14,574	4,553	1,647	4,935	11,135	25,709
1st July - -	819	6,960	1,100	3,251	391	564	1,283	207	14,575	4,496	1,588	4,885	10,969	25,544
1st August - -	811	6,719	1,092	3,219	393	937	1,311	140	14,622	4,470	1,582	4,861	10,913	25,535
1st September -	790	6,745	1,071	3,156	392	946	1,302	178	14,580	4,461	1,571	4,802	10,834	25,414
1st October - -	773	6,799	1,083	3,112	390	822	1,305	171	14,455	4,458	1,777	4,887	11,122	25,577
1st November -	812	6,813	1,082	3,162	385	830	1,298	161	14,543	4,450	1,863	5,002	11,315	25,858
1st December - -	813	6,860	1,089	3,171	389	822	1,294	173	14,611	4,466	1,865	4,992	11,323	25,934
Average during 1891	811	6,899	1,080	3,181	383	671	1,287	169	14,481	4,534	1,710	4,934	11,178	25,659

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TABLE 72.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH and DISTRIBUTION of the HORSES and MULES, according to the latest returns received on the 1st January 1892, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments and the number required to complete each arm of the service.

—	BRITISH ESTABLISHMENT.									INDIAN ESTABLISHMENT.				All Arms.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards and Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Unposted Remounts.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Total.	
AT HOME.														
England	818	4,002	947	2,607	346	279	1,017	125	10,141	—	—	—	—	10,141
Scotland	—	271	—	51	—	—	—	—	322	—	—	—	—	322
Ireland	—	2,219	153	410	46	80	277	22	3,207	—	—	—	—	3,207
	818	6,492	1,100	3,068	392	359	1,294	147	13,670	—	—	—	—	13,670
Egypt	—	150	—	—	5	202	—	—	357	—	—	—	—	357
IN THE COLONIES.														
South Africa—Natal	—	355	—	129	—	141	—	—	625	—	—	—	—	625
EAST INDIES.														
Bengal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,019	1,214	2,768	7,001	7,001
Bombay	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	518	333	1,351	2,202	2,202
Madras	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,038	333	888	2,259	2,259
Staff	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	8	16	16
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,575	1,888	5,015	11,478	11,478
General Total	818	6,997	1,100	3,197	397	702	1,294	147	14,652	4,575	1,888	5,015	11,478	26,130
Establishment	825	7,014	1,118	3,355	395	561	1,311	—	14,579	4,725	1,958	4,620	11,303	25,882
Wanting to complete	7	17	18	158	—	—	17	—	—	150	70	—	—	—
Supernumerary	—	—	—	—	2	141	—	147	73	—	—	395	175	248

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TABLE 73.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the HORSES and MULES of each arm of the service on the British Establishment reported during the year 1891.

Corps.	Effectives on the 1st January 1891.	Increase.			Decrease.					Effectives on the 1st January 1892.
		Purchased.	Other causes.	Total.	Dead.	Cast.	Sold to Officers.	Other causes.	Total.	
Household Cavalry -	805	—	124	124	16	93	2	—	111	818
Cavalry of the Line -	6,867	9	927	936	148	641	17	—	806	6,997
Royal Horse Artillery -	1,048	—	184	184	23	109	—	—	132	1,100
Royal Artillery -	3,155	12	429	441	68	330	1	—	399	3,197
Royal Engineers -	362	—	76	76	9	32	—	—	41	397
Infantry of the Line and Foot Guards	508	55	243	298	12	92	—	—	104	702
Army Service Corps -	1,266	3	157	160	28	101	3	—	132	1,294
Unposted Remounts -	162	2,141	—	2,141	4	10	—	2,142	2,156	147
Total -	14,173	2,220	2,140	4,360	308	1,408	23	2,142	3,881	14,652

TABLE 74.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the HORSES and MULES on the British Establishment reported during each month of the year 1891.

Months.	Effectives on the 1st day of each month.	Increase.			Decrease.				
		Purchased.	Other causes.	Total Increase.	Dead.	Cast.	Sold to Officers.	Other causes.	Total Decrease.
January - -	14,173	107	—	107	20	47	1	—	68
February - -	14,212	249	—	249	23	55	1	2	81
March - -	14,380	167	1	168	25	69	6	—	100
April - - -	14,448	238	8	246	29	60	3	—	92
May - - -	14,602	164	7	171	27	167	5	—	199
June - - -	14,574	79	—	79	25	50	—	3	78
July - - -	14,575	195	4	199	29	121	2	—	152
August - -	14,622	140	7	147	27	160	2	—	189
September - -	14,580	66	—	66	42	144	—	5	191
October - - -	14,455	279	—	279	18	166	2	5	191
November - -	14,543	295	—	295	25	194	1	7	227
December - -	14,611	241	—	241	18	175	—	7	200
Total - -	—	2,220	27	2,247	308	1,408	23	29	1,768

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TABLE 75.—AGES of the HORSES and MULES in each arm of the service on the 1st January 1892, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Corps.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry - -	138	396	172	112	—	818	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cavalry of the Line - -	1,131	2,773	2,078	963	52	6,997	153	1,785	1,935	759	—	4,632
Royal Artillery - - -	415	1,422	1,287	1,044	129	4,297	116	2,612	3,143	1,032	—	6,903
Royal Engineers - - -	38	155	147	57	—	397	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line and Foot Guards	8	123	204	100	267	702	—	—	—	—	—	—
Army Service Corps - - -	65	437	446	346	—	1,294	—	—	—	—	—	—
Unposted Remounts - -	—	—	—	—	147	147	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total - -	1,795	5,306	4,334	2,622	595	14,652	269	4,397	5,078	1,791	—	11,535

TABLE 76.—SIZES of the HORSES and MULES in each arm of the service on the 1st January 1892, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Corps.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	14½ hands and under.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands and over.	Not reported.	Total.	14½ hands.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands and over.	Not reported.	Total.
Household Cavalry - -	—	—	118	700	—	818	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cavalry of the Line - -	58	817	4,378	1,692	52	6,997	83	1,724	2,168	657	—	4,632
Royal Artillery - - -	37	240	2,513	1,378	129	4,297	338	2,321	3,023	1,221	—	6,903
Royal Engineers - - -	10	45	217	125	—	397	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry of the Line and Foot Guards	214	111	96	14	267	702	—	—	—	—	—	—
Army Service Corps - - -	40	258	743	253	—	1,294	—	—	—	—	—	—
Unposted Remounts - -	—	—	—	—	147	147	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total - -	359	1,471	8,065	4,162	595	14,652	421	4,045	5,191	1,878	—	11,535

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TABLE 77.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the HORSES and MULES in each arm of the service, according to the latest returns received on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892, specifying those on the British and Indian Establishments.

Year.	British Establishment.									Indian Establishment.				All Arms.	Year.
	Household Cavalry.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards and Infantry of the Line.	Army Service Corps.	Unposted Remounts.	Total.	Cavalry of the Line.	Royal Horse Artillery.	Royal Artillery.	Total.		
1873	838	6,745	1,909	3,924	410	—	1,098	—	14,924	3,404	2,480	4,609	10,493	25,417	1873
1874	824	6,708	1,850	4,005	413	—	1,086	—	14,886	3,313	2,596	4,704	10,613	25,499	1874
1875	839	6,621	1,901	3,975	418	—	1,073	—	14,827	3,328	2,564	4,613	10,505	25,332	1875
1876	837	6,777	1,793	4,080	420	—	1,060	—	14,967	3,418	2,610	4,716	10,744	25,711	1876
1877	845	6,843	1,794	4,169	416	—	1,076	—	15,143	3,218	2,574	4,703	10,495	25,638	1877
1878	848	6,866	1,895	4,166	431	—	1,083	—	15,289	3,410	2,605	4,739	10,754	26,043	1878
1879	853	6,862	1,853	4,113	450	127	1,130	—	15,388	3,402	2,703	4,725	10,830	26,218	1879
1880	845	7,071	1,794	3,365	283	—	1,193	—	14,551	3,798	2,534	4,896	11,228	25,779	1880
1881	846	6,544	1,798	3,300	310	—	1,030	—	13,828	3,468	2,463	4,603	10,534	24,362	1881
1882	840	6,396	1,567	3,115	266	—	955	—	13,139	3,564	2,444	4,506	10,514	23,653	1882
1883	816	6,206	1,484	3,260	360	386	1,950	—	14,462	3,459	1,795	4,585	9,839	24,301	1883
1884	828	6,334	1,463	3,248	257	398	1,113	—	13,641	3,467	1,757	4,417	9,641	23,282	1884
1885	826	6,592	1,396	3,264	216	721	1,064	—	14,079	3,520	1,764	4,395	9,679	23,758	1885
1886	826	6,788	1,399	3,221	263	412	1,161	—	14,070	3,060	1,674	4,657	9,391	23,461	1886
1887	835	6,839	1,365	3,199	307	470	1,156	—	14,171	3,383	1,793	4,895	10,071	24,242	1887
1888	821	6,590	1,086	3,291	354	530	1,255	—	13,927	4,303	1,803	4,889	10,995	24,922	1888
1889	811	6,794	1,106	3,220	384	618	1,266	—	14,199	4,514	1,723	4,793	11,030	25,229	1889
1890	827	6,664	1,097	3,227	381	531	1,279	—	14,006	4,601	1,701	4,832	11,134	25,140	1890
1891	805	7,029	1,048	3,155	362	508	1,266	—	14,173	4,686	1,736	4,923	11,345	25,518	1891
1892	818	6,997	1,100	3,197	397	702	1,294	147	14,652	4,575	1,888	5,015	11,478	26,130	1892

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TABLE 78.—INCREASE and DECREASE of HORSES and MULES on the British Establishment in each year from 1872 to 1891.

Year.	Effectives on the 1st January in each year.	Increase.			Decrease.					Nett Increase.	Nett Decrease.	Effectives on the 31st December in each year.
		Purchased.	Other causes.	Total Increase.	Dead.	Cast and Sold.	Sold to Officers.	Other causes.	Total Decrease.			
1872	14,566	1,864	24	1,888	369	1,116	45	—	1,530	358	—	14,924
1873	14,924	1,301	13	1,314	301	1,027	24	—	1,352	—	38	14,886
1874	14,886	1,295	10	1,305	313	1,018	33	—	1,364	—	59	14,827
1875	14,827	1,549	12	1,561	295	1,081	45	—	1,421	140	—	14,967
1876	14,967	1,516	14	1,530	263	1,055	36	—	1,354	176	—	15,143
1877	15,143	1,572	—	1,572	255	1,139	29	3	1,426	146	—	15,289
1878	15,289	2,944	—	2,944	410	2,389	28	18	2,845	99	—	15,388
1879	15,388	2,000	—	2,000	605	2,189	23	20	2,837	—	837	14,551
1880	14,551	1,781	27	1,808	499	2,019	13	—	2,531	—	723	13,828
1881	13,828	1,528	—	1,528	717	1,419	14	67	2,217	—	689	13,139
1882	13,139	4,817	41	4,858	1,487	2,012	36	—	3,535	1,323	—	14,462
1883	14,462	2,343	—	2,343	519	2,365	22	258*	3,164	—	821	13,641
1884	13,641	2,329	204	2,533	324	1,740	31	—	2,095	438	—	14,079
1885	14,079	2,061	106	2,167	429	1,715	32	—	2,176	—	9	14,070
1886	14,070	1,844	98	1,942	336	1,474	31	—	1,841	101	—	14,171
1887	14,171	2,109	—	2,109	389	1,790	36	138	2,353	—	244	13,927
1888	13,927	1,708	2	1,710	316	1,100	22	—	1,438	272	—	14,199
1889	14,199	1,774	12	1,786	315	1,641	23	—	1,979	—	193	14,006
1890	14,006	1,875	—	1,875	299	1,386	18	5	1,708	167	—	14,173
1891	14,173	2,220	—	2,220	308	1,408	23	2	1,741	479	—	14,652

* Including 234 to mounted infantry and local transport in Egypt.

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TABLE 79.—AGES of the HORSES and MULES on the British and Indian Establishments on the 1st January in each year from 1874 to 1892.

Year.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 5 years.	5 to 8 years.	9 to 12 years.	13 and over.	Not reported.	Total.
1874	1,831	7,308	3,518	2,229	—	14,886	507	4,190	4,367	1,536	13	10,613
1875	1,627	6,842	3,978	2,380	—	14,827	476	4,211	4,140	1,780	—	10,607
1876	1,880	5,195	5,378	2,493	21	14,967	266	4,026	4,258	2,140	—	10,690
1877	2,007	4,954	5,772	2,394	16	15,143	325	3,874	4,063	2,273	—	10,535
1878	2,024	5,446	5,529	2,290	—	15,289	255	3,577	4,694	2,283	—	10,809
1879	970	5,997	5,135	3,273	13	15,388	223	3,560	3,979	3,073	—	10,835
1880	1,538	5,135	3,669	3,533	676	14,551	317	3,952	3,950	2,795	—	11,014
1881	1,315	5,273	3,334	3,689	217	13,828	332	4,272	3,654	2,362	—	10,620
1882	920	4,933	3,444	3,718	146	13,161	218	3,939	3,835	2,381	141	10,514
1883	1,572	5,898	3,579	2,973	440	14,462	205	3,353	4,046	2,303	—	9,907
1884	1,675	6,145	3,319	2,098	404	13,641	315	3,120	4,137	2,069	—	9,641
1885	1,428	6,313	3,584	1,681	1,073	14,079	443	2,976	4,104	2,156	—	9,679
1886	1,486	6,196	3,926	1,527	935	14,070	412	3,313	3,407	2,152	107	9,391
1887	1,844	5,737	4,351	1,692	547	14,171	559	4,292	3,103	2,215	451	10,620
1888	1,522	5,511	4,851	1,731	312	13,927	411	5,303	3,004	2,336	—	11,054
1889	1,676	5,604	5,005	1,811	118	14,214	393	5,247	3,242	2,153	—	11,035
1890	1,437	5,584	4,794	1,972	219	14,006	332	5,437	3,490	1,838	37	11,134
1891	1,456	5,592	4,501	2,325	299	14,173	354	4,630	4,618	1,730	13	11,345
1892	1,795	5,306	4,334	2,622	595	14,652	269	4,397	5,078	1,791	—	11,535

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TABLE 80.—SIZES of the HORSES and MULES on the British and Indian Establishments on the 1st January in each year from 1874 to 1892.

Year.	British Establishment.						Indian Establishment.					
	14½ hands and under.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands.	Not reported.	Total.	14½ hands.	15 hands.	15½ hands.	16 hands.	Not reported.	Total.
1874	73	3,702	9,138	1,973	—	14,886	3,868	4,094	2,267	371	13	10,613
1875	44	3,645	9,238	1,900	—	14,827	4,154	4,099	2,070	284	—	10,607
1876	26	2,854	9,869	2,197	21	14,967	3,896	4,191	2,342	261	—	10,690
1877	52	2,923	10,111	2,041	16	15,143	4,053	3,894	2,354	234	—	10,535
1878	41	3,172	10,024	2,052	--	15,289	3,982	4,207	2,365	255	—	10,809
1879	56	2,818	10,147	2,354	13	15,388	3,789	4,312	2,414	320	—	10,835
1880	80	2,749	9,153	1,893	676	14,551	3,730	4,506	2,538	240	—	11,014
1881	152	3,018	8,528	1,913	217	13,828	2,910	4,596	2,801	313	—	10,620
1882	196	2,593	8,223	2,033	116	13,161	3,040	4,269	2,767	297	141	10,514
1883	425	2,620	8,933	2,044	440	14,462	2,652	4,350	2,594	311	—	9,907
1884	84	2,816	8,526	1,811	404	13,641	2,483	4,415	2,492	251	—	9,641
1885	218	2,199	8,594	1,995	1,073	14,079	2,131	4,373	2,917	58	--	9,679
1886	437	2,641	8,350	1,725	917	14,070	2,094	4,105	2,798	287	107	9,391
1887	499	2,428	8,816	1,881	547	14,171	1,673	4,566	3,401	529	451	10,620
1888	459	2,626	8,732	1,817	293	13,927	1,808	4,796	4,000	450	—	11,054
1889	574	1,820	7,455	4,249	116	14,214	966	4,715	4,214	1,140	—	11,035
1890	484	1,917	7,583	3,804	218	14,006	890	3,833	5,329	1,045	37	11,134
1891	424	1,623	7,863	3,964	299	14,173	1,057	4,057	4,821	1,397	13	11,345
1892	359	1,471	8,065	4,162	595	14,652	421	4,045	5,191	1,878	—	11,535

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PART IX.—ARMY RESERVE, MILITIA, YEOMANRY, AND VOLUNTEERS.

TABLE 81.—GENERAL ANNUAL RETURN of the ARMY RESERVE, MILITIA, YEOMANRY, and VOLUNTEERS for the year 1891, showing the different branches of the service.

Corps.	Date.	All Ranks.			
		Total Enrolled.	Establishment.	Wanting to complete.	Supernumerary.
Army Reserve { Class I.	1st January 1892	68,421	*71,800	3,379	—
Army Reserve { Class II.	1st January 1892	512	*910	398	—
Militia	Dates of Inspections 1891	112,201	135,725	23,524	—
Yeomanry	Dates of Inspections 1891	10,710	14,086	3,376	—
Volunteers	1st November 1891	222,046	261,214	39,168	—
	General Total	413,890	483,735	69,845	—
Militia Reserve (included with Militia)	Dates of Inspections 1891	31,264	*30,000	—	1,264

* Numbers voted in Army Estimates, 1891–92.

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TABLE 82.—STRENGTH of the ARMY RESERVE, showing the composition of the force on the first day of each month during 1891.

Month.	Class I.		Class II.				Total Army Reserve	Detail of Class I.													
	Reserve of 1870.	Reserve of 1882.	Reserve of 1867.	Reserve of 1859.	Enrolled Pensioners.	Total.		Cavalry.	Royal Artillery.	Royal Engineers.	Foot Guards.	Infantry of the Line.	King's Royal Rifle Corps.	Rifle Brigade.	Army Service Corps.	Royal Malta Artillery.	Ordnance Store Corps.	Medical Staff Corps.	Army Post Office Corps.	Corps of Army Signallers.	Total.
1st January -	52,186	7,094	76	85	792	953	60,233	4,211	5,759	1,383	3,746	38,284	1,134	1,261	2,056	120	176	1,039	111	—	59,280
1st February -	52,783	7,221	71	82	789	942	60,946	4,217	5,821	1,400	3,804	38,769	1,151	1,264	2,060	120	173	1,039	111	75	60,004
1st March -	54,575	7,374	68	81	771	920	62,869	4,276	6,018	1,393	3,858	40,277	1,205	1,296	2,076	120	180	1,033	109	108	61,949
1st April -	55,734	7,468	66	81	457	604	63,806	4,349	6,220	1,409	3,898	41,095	1,196	1,369	2,105	121	182	1,039	110	109	63,202
1st May -	57,520	7,654	65	80	428	573	65,747	4,399	6,362	1,416	3,932	42,681	1,239	1,443	2,129	120	184	1,050	110	109	65,174
1st June -	58,330	7,889	63	77	423	563	66,782	4,464	6,548	1,443	3,960	43,413	1,256	1,411	2,138	121	184	1,056	110	115	66,219
1st July -	57,811	8,176	61	77	419	557	66,544	4,463	6,584	1,451	3,962	43,139	1,220	1,417	2,157	121	188	1,056	111	118	65,987
1st August -	57,227	8,378	60	74	413	547	66,152	4,446	6,593	1,495	3,952	42,679	1,248	1,443	2,168	121	195	1,057	111	97	65,605
1st September	57,006	8,622	58	74	408	540	66,168	4,482	6,684	1,490	4,067	42,436	1,248	1,455	2,179	122	195	1,063	111	96	65,628
1st October -	57,184	8,776	58	73	407	538	66,498	4,532	6,719	1,513	4,128	42,559	1,263	1,457	2,193	124	196	1,059	112	105	65,960
1st November	56,906	8,891	55	72	403	530	66,327	4,554	6,684	1,510	4,146	42,485	1,260	1,398	2,184	126	188	1,042	112	108	65,797
1st December	57,792	9,029	52	71	397	520	67,341	4,663	6,833	1,535	4,193	43,086	1,294	1,420	2,195	127	199	1,057	111	108	66,821

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Table 83.—Increase and Decrease of the Army Reserve reported during each Month of the year 1891.

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TABLE 83.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the ARMY

	1ST CLASS.												
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
Effectives on 1st of Month.	59,280	60,004	61,949	63,202	65,174	66,219	65,987	65,605	65,628	65,960	65,797	66,821	1 Jan. 1892. 68,421
Increase—													
Transfers from the Colours - -	1,562	2,287	1,698	2,737	2,107	684	799	696	854	844	1,528	2,024	17,820
Enrolled in Section "D"	181	191	120	216	280	359	280	320	209	193	209	173	2,731
Rejoined from Absence	20	22	21	16	19	8	17	22	11	15	23	38	232
Other causes - -	1	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	5	—	2	11
Total Increase -	1,764	2,500	1,839	2,969	2,409	1,051	1,096	1,038	1,074	1,057	1,760	2,237	20,794
Decrease—													
Dead - - -	50	30	46	45	50	48	41	38	41	46	31	45	511
Discharged. After 21 years' service - -	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	4
Discharged. On completion of engagement	734	479	524	757	1,298	1,217	1,171	914	663	706	658	506	9,689
Discharged. As Invalids -	2	3	5	5	4	1	3	4	7	—	2	2	36
Discharged. By Purchase -	1	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	2	2	—	—	8
Discharged. Free by Indulgence - -	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	2	5
Discharged. For Misconduct -	4	5	5	1	6	1	5	9	8	2	8	12	66
Discharged. Miscellaneous -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	5
	741	488	535	763	1,308	1,221	1,180	928	688	710	669	582	9,813
Transfers to the Colours - -	3	3	1	3	—	7	2	3	3	7	3	2	37
Enrolled Pensioners struck off as over age under Para. 8, G.O. 79 of 1885 -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Struck off for Absence -	246	31	3	185	6	7	227	45	10	457	33	8	1,258
Other causes - -	—	3	1	1	—	—	28	1	—	—	—	—	34
Total Decrease -	1,040	555	586	997	1,364	1,233	1,478	1,015	742	1,220	736	637	11,653
Net Increase -	724	1,945	1,253	1,972	1,045	—	—	23	332	—	1,024	1,600	9,141
Net Decrease -	—	—	—	—	—	232	382	—	—	163	—	—	—

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RESERVE reported during each Month of the year 1891.

	2ND CLASS.												
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
	953	942	920	604	573	563	557	547	540	538	530	520	1Jan. 1892. 512
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
	3	1	1	—	2	—	2	1	—	—	1	1	12
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	9	4	1	2	2	2	3	2	1	4	4	1	35
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	9	4	1	2	2	2	3	2	1	4	4	1	35
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	17	314	32	5	4	5	4	1	4	5	6	397
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	12	22	316	34	10	6	10	7	2	8	10	8	445
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	11	22	316	31	10	6	10	7	2	8	10	8	441

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TABLE 84.—AGES of the MEN composing the ARMY RESERVE on the 1st January 1892.

——	Under 30 years of age.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not Reported.	Total.
CLASS I.						
Cavalry of the Line - -	3,113	1,467	96	1	—	4,677
Royal Artillery - - -	4,008	2,693	353	12	—	7,066
Royal Engineers - -	986	482	83	5	—	1,556
Foot Guards - - -	3,106	1,020	88	2	—	4,216
Infantry of the Line - -	28,935	15,787	2,213	131	9	47,075
Army Service Corps - -	1,717	448	48	6	—	2,219
Royal Malta Artillery - -	100	20	3	—	—	123
Ordnance Store Corps - -	162	34	4	—	—	200
Medical Staff Corps - -	697	316	54	1	—	1,068
Army Post Office Corps - -	106	6	—	—	—	112
Corps of Army Signallers -	109	—	—	—	—	109
Total Class I. - -	43,039	22,273	2,942	158	9	68,421
Class II. of 1867 - - -	—	—	—	51	—	51
Reserve of 1859 - - -	—	—	—	71	—	71
Enrolled Pensioners - -	—	—	2	388	—	390
Total Class II. - -	—	—	2	510	—	512

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TABLE 85.—YEARS in which the services of the Men composing the First Class Army Reserve on the 1st January 1892 will expire.

—	During 1892.	During 1893.	During 1894.	During 1895.	During 1896.	During 1897.	During 1898.	During 1899.	During 1900.	During 1901.	Total.
Cavalry of the Line - - -	588	509	861	1,364	1,038	196	112	7	2	—	4,677
Royal Artillery - - -	1,033	1,161	1,578	1,710	1,219	91	143	66	40	25	7,066
Royal Engineers - - -	159	138	267	241	312	186	54	153	46	—	1,556
Foot Guards - - - -	429	337	353	929	863	279	328	422	276	—	4,216
Infantry of the Line - - -	8,260	10,354	8,955	13,462	5,180	654	186	19	3	2	47,075
Army Service Corps - - -	150	136	320	229	372	280	338	233	161	—	2,219
Royal Malta Artillery - - -	6	9	21	18	45	24	—	—	—	—	123
Ordnance Store Corps - - -	27	19	32	31	38	39	11	3	—	—	200
Medical Staff Corps - - -	134	73	103	165	212	162	143	49	27	—	1,068
Army Post Office Corps - -	3	2	66	16	20	5	—	—	—	—	112
Corps of Army Signallers - -	—	—	—	—	—	109	—	—	—	—	109
Total, All Arms - - -	10,789	12,738	12,556	18,165	9,299	2,025	1,315	952	555	27	68,421

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TABLE 86.—GENERAL STATE of the MILITIA (including the Militia Reserve) at the dates of the annual inspections of the several regiments in the year 1891.

	By Ranks.							By Countries.				By Arms.			
	Officers.	Permanent Staff.		Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	Total.	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Total.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	Total.
		Sergeants.	Drummers.												
Present at training - -	3,026	3,061	1,189	2,118	4,214	82,968	96,576	63,421	11,621	21,534	96,576	13,813	1,750	81,013	96,576
Absent from inspection { With leave -	428	26	4	99	226	4,683	5,466	3,721	890	855	5,466	749	113	4,604	5,466
Absent from inspection { Without leave -	12	1	4	50	179	9,913	10,159	7,106	1,311	1,742	10,159	1,200	190	8,769	10,159
Number enrolled - -	3,466	3,088	1,197	2,267	4,619*	97,564	112,201	74,248	13,822	24,131	112,201	15,762	2,053	94,386	112,201
Establishment, as laid down in Army Orders of 1891 -	3,829	3,124	1,227	2,487	5,026*	120,032	135,725	90,210	15,607	29,908	135,725	19,001	2,614	114,110	135,725
Wanting to complete -	363	36	30	220	407	22,468	23,524	15,962	1,785	5,777	23,524	3,239	561	19,724	23,524
Supernumerary - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Includes 2nd Corporals of the Engineer Militia.

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TABLE 87.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the MILITIA (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) between 1st January 1891 and 1st January 1892, by Countries and by Arms.

	Countries.			Arms.			Total.
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	
Number enrolled 1st January 1891	68,325	12,156	21,339	13,467	1,696	86,657	101,820
Enlisted	30,812	3,903	5,068	3,586	871	35,326	39,783
Re-enlisted	1,662	258	407	348	20	1,959	2,327
Rejoined from Desertion	654	152	228	181	19	834	1,034
Other causes (net)	—	—	—	95	13	—	—
Total Increase	33,128	4,313	5,703	4,210	923	38,119	43,144
Dead	308	50	85	85	5	353	443
Discharged	13,804	1,770	2,179	1,716	332	15,705	17,753
Deserted, and Absentees struck off	7,612	1,369	1,725	1,278	235	9,193	10,706
To Regular Army	11,109	947	1,486	755	161	12,626	13,542
To Royal Navy and Royal Marines	384	6	5	19	24	352	395
Other causes (net)	39	37	17	—	—	201	93
Total Decrease	33,256	4,179	5,497	3,853	757	38,430	42,932
Net Increase	—	134	206	357	166	—	212
Net Decrease	128	—	—	—	—	311	—
Number enrolled 1st January 1892	68,197	12,290	21,545	13,824	1,862	86,346	102,032

N.B.—The figures in this table represent the increase and decrease of the Militia as reported *in the returns received month by month* during 1891, and do not in every case correspond with the actual number of recruits and casualties during the year as shown in tables 59 and 63.

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TABLE 88.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the MILITIA RESERVE between 1st January 1891 and 1st January 1892, by Countries and by Arms.

	Countries.			Arms.			Total.
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	
Number enrolled on 1st January 1891	19,643	3,572	7,030	5,294	371	24,580	30,245
Enlisted	4,035	703	1,231	944	138	4,887	5,969
Re-enlisted	8	—	8	8	—	8	16
Other causes (net)	—	—	—	23	10	—	—
Total Increase	4,043	703	1,239	975	148	4,895	5,985
Dead	69	12	21	22	2	78	102
Discharged	2,964	489	766	665	61	3,493	4,230
Deserted, and Absentees struck off	754	143	350	249	12	986	1,247
To Regular Army	288	43	95	52	7	367	426
To Royal Navy and Royal Marines	11	—	2	3	1	9	13
Other causes (net)	35	17	—	—	—	85	41
Total Decrease	4,121	704	1,234	991	83	5,018	6,059
Net Increase	—	—	5	—	65	—	—
Net Decrease	78	1	—	16	—	123	74
Number enrolled on 1st January 1892	19,565	3,571	7,035	5,278	436	24,457	30,171

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TABLE 89.—ENROLLED STRENGTH of the MILITIA (exclusive of Officers and Permanent Staff) on the 1st of each month during 1891, and the average strength during the year.

Months.	Enrolled Strength (exclusive of Officers and Permanent Staff).			
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Irish Regiments.	Total.
January - - -	68,325	12,156	21,339	101,820
February - - -	69,811	12,383	21,610	103,804
March - - -	70,678	12,485	21,951	105,114
April - - -	70,785	12,801	22,474	106,060
May - - -	71,411	12,950	22,967	107,328
June - - -	70,098	13,145	22,855	106,058
July - - -	67,923	13,017	22,427	103,367
August - - -	65,981	12,658	21,465	100,104
September - -	64,659	11,909	20,795	97,363
October - - -	64,983	11,880	20,877	97,740
November - -	66,184	11,883	21,010	99,077
December - - -	67,236	12,012	21,261	100,509
Average during 1891 -	68,173	12,439	21,753	102,365

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TABLE 90.—AGES of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN serving in the MILITIA (including the Permanent Staff) on 1st January 1892.

Arm.	Country.	Ages.								Total.
		Under 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	Over 35 years.	
Artillery	England	60	238	465	444	1,290	1,356	1,387	1,395	6,635
	Scotland	14	52	117	111	549	673	619	272	2,407
	Ireland	53	110	305	400	1,380	1,180	992	1,020	5,440
	Total	127	400	887	955	3,219	3,209	2,998	2,687	14,482
Engineers	England	24	144	142	144	543	444	270	231	1,942
Infantry	England	553	5,019	9,149	7,938	14,629	10,200	8,252	6,561	62,301
	Scotland	59	577	1,122	1,210	2,601	1,998	1,529	1,280	10,376
	Ireland	193	1,263	2,020	1,826	4,298	2,754	2,349	2,353	17,056
	Total	805	6,859	12,291	10,974	21,528	14,952	12,130	10,194	89,733
All Arms	England	637	5,401	9,756	8,526	16,462	12,000	9,909	8,187	70,878
	Scotland	73	629	1,239	1,321	3,150	2,671	2,148	1,552	12,783
	Ireland	246	1,373	2,325	2,226	5,678	3,934	3,341	3,373	22,496
	Total	956	7,403	13,320	12,073	25,290	18,605	15,398	13,112	106,157
Militia Reserve (included above)	Artillery	—	—	—	123	1,350	1,860	1,588	357	5,278
	Engineers	—	—	—	7	130	165	111	23	436
	Infantry	—	—	—	1,463	7,672	7,852	6,256	1,214	24,457
Total		—	—	—	1,593	9,152	9,877	7,955	1,594	30,171

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TABLE 91.—HEIGHTS of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA enrolled at dates of Inspections of the several Regiments during the year 1891.

Arm.	Country.	Under 5 ft. 5 in.	5 ft. 5 in. to 5 ft. 6 in.	5 ft. 6 in. to 5 ft. 7 in.	5 ft. 7 in. to 5 ft. 8 in.	5 ft. 8 in. to 5 ft. 9 in.	5 ft. 9 in. to 5 ft. 10 in.	5 ft. 10 in. to 5 ft. 11 in.	5 ft. 11 in. to 6 feet.	6 ft. and upwards.	Total.
Artillery	England	90	685	1,958	1,536	1,076	712	339	150	84	6,630
	Scotland	22	262	618	540	514	295	119	85	33	2,488
	Ireland	59	327	1,200	1,084	1,078	784	446	269	150	5,397
	Total	171	1,274	3,776	3,160	2,668	1,791	904	504	267	14,515
Engineers	England	318	468	406	287	193	110	62	31	18	1,893
Infantry	England	17,621	13,737	11,290	7,482	4,856	3,000	1,591	767	263	60,607
	Scotland	3,262	1,852	1,617	1,384	1,082	640	347	163	75	10,422
	Ireland	3,640	3,241	3,015	2,435	1,911	1,258	854	494	165	17,013
	Total	24,523	18,830	15,922	11,301	7,849	4,898	2,792	1,424	503	88,042
All Arms	England	18,029	14,890	13,654	9,305	6,125	3,822	1,992	948	365	69,130
	Scotland	3,284	2,114	2,235	1,924	1,596	935	466	248	108	12,910
	Ireland	3,699	3,568	4,215	3,519	2,989	2,042	1,300	763	315	22,410
	Total	25,012	20,572	20,104	14,748	10,710	6,799	3,758	1,959	788	104,450

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TABLE 92.—NATIONALITIES of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (inclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA on the 1st January 1892.

Arm.	Country.	English.			Scotch.			Irish.			Total.
		Born in County in which Corps is localised.	Born in other Counties.	Total.	Born in County in which Corps is localised.	Born in other Counties.	Total.	Born in County in which Corps is localised.	Born in other Counties.	Total.	
Artillery	England	4,682	1,418	6,100	—	115	115	—	420	420	6,635
	Scotland	—	99	99	1,648	489	2,137	—	171	171	2,407
	Ireland	—	174	174	—	43	43	4,240	983	5,223	5,440
	Total	4,682	1,691	6,373	1,648	647	2,295	4,240	1,574	5,814	14,482
Engineers	England	1,353	495	1,848	—	8	8	—	86	86	1,942
Infantry	England	45,164	12,004	57,168	—	600	600	—	4,533	4,533	62,301
	Scotland	—	445	445	6,679	2,457	9,136	—	795	795	10,376
	Ireland	—	305	305	—	65	65	13,321	3,365	16,686	17,056
	Total	45,164	12,754	57,918	6,679	3,122	9,801	13,321	8,693	22,014	89,733
All Arms	England	51,199	13,917	65,116	—	723	723	—	5,039	5,039	70,878
	Scotland	—	544	544	8,327	2,946	11,273	—	966	966	12,783
	Ireland	—	479	479	—	108	108	17,561	4,348	21,909	22,496
	Total	51,199	14,940	66,139	8,327	3,777	12,104	17,561	10,353	27,914	106,157

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TABLE 93.—TRADES of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA enrolled at the dates of the Annual Inspections of the several Regiments during the year 1891.

Arm.	Country.	Artisans.	Mechanical Labourers.	Agricultural Labourers.	Miners.	Fishermen.	All Others.	Total.
Artillery	England	654	1,305	1,381	584	275	2,431	6,630
	Scotland	414	476	273	397	92	836	2,488
	Ireland	585	623	3,311	51	208	619	5,397
	Total	1,653	2,404	4,965	1,032	575	3,886	14,515
Engineers	England	366	592	142	124	94	575	1,893
Infantry	England	8,754	15,659	15,651	6,487	791	13,265	60,607
	Scotland	1,755	2,417	1,656	1,083	1,183	2,328	10,422
	Ireland	1,473	2,018	10,778	166	260	2,318	17,013
	Total	11,982	20,094	28,085	7,736	2,234	17,911	88,042
All Arms	England	9,774	17,556	17,174	7,195	1,160	16,271	69,130
	Scotland	2,169	2,893	1,929	1,480	1,275	3,164	12,910
	Ireland	2,058	2,641	14,089	217	468	2,937	22,410
	Total	14,001	23,090	33,192	8,892	2,903	22,372	104,450

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TABLE 94.—RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (inclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA on the 1st January 1892.

Arm.	Country.	Church of England.	Presbyterians.	Wesleyans.	Other Protestants, &c. not included in the foregoing.	Roman Catholics.	Total.
Artillery	England	4,456	85	465	311	1,318	6,635
	Scotland	203	1,323	6	2	873	2,407
	Ireland	884	230	28	3	4,295	5,440
	Total	5,543	1,638	499	316	6,486	14,482
Engineers	England	1,227	24	249	52	390	1,942
Infantry	England	44,397	329	2,907	585	14,083	62,301
	Scotland	634	6,348	6	--	3,388	10,376
	Ireland	2,440	486	30	3	14,097	17,056
	Total	47,471	7,163	2,943	588	31,568	89,733
All Arms	England	50,080	438	3,621	948	15,791	70,878
	Scotland	837	7,671	12	2	4,261	12,783
	Ireland	3,324	716	58	6	18,392	22,496
	Total	54,241	8,825	3,691	956	38,444	106,157

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TABLE 95.—YEARS in which the Terms of Service of the NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) of the MILITIA enrolled on 1st January 1892 will expire.

Arm.	Country.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	Total.
Artillery	England	636	1,022	1,092	1,279	1,187	1,131	2	6,349
	Scotland	156	383	386	502	427	438	3	2,295
	Ireland	434	907	1,155	928	940	814	2	5,180
	Total	1,226	2,312	2,633	2,709	2,554	2,383	7	13,824
Engineers	England	79	196	212	371	394	608	2	1,862
Infantry	England	5,776	8,428	9,891	10,790	9,637	15,453	11	59,986
	Scotland	768	1,479	1,653	1,917	1,939	2,237	2	9,995
	Ireland	1,633	3,099	3,173	3,114	2,558	2,785	3	16,365
	Total	8,177	13,006	14,717	15,821	14,134	20,475	16	86,346
All Arms	England	6,491	9,646	11,195	12,440	11,218	17,192	15	68,197
	Scotland	924	1,862	2,039	2,419	2,366	2,675	5	12,290
	Ireland	2,067	4,006	4,328	4,042	3,498	3,599	5	21,545
	Total	9,482	15,514	17,562	18,901	17,082	23,466	25	102,032

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TABLE 96.—AGES of the RECRUITS who joined the MILITIA during the year 1891.

Arm.	Country.	Ages of Recruits joined.											
		Under 17 years.	17 to 18 years.	18 to 19 years.	19 to 20 years.	20 to 21 years.	21 to 22 years.	22 to 23 years.	23 to 24 years.	24 to 25 years.	Over 25 years.	Not Reported.	Total.
Artillery	England	20	325	336	201	149	112	96	79	116	351	3	1,788
	Scotland	17	68	64	37	37	24	43	46	62	157	—	555
	Ireland	23	154	214	147	103	99	92	96	99	216	—	1,243
	Total	60	547	614	385	289	235	231	221	277	724	3	3,586
Engineers	England	9	165	139	76	71	52	42	32	75	198	12	871
Infantry	England	300	8,475	9,500	3,758	1,807	1,179	845	633	594	1,037	25	28,153
	Scotland	37	1,033	1,103	365	170	133	102	75	89	240	1	3,348
	Ireland	84	1,354	1,154	428	244	126	106	84	71	170	4	3,825
	Total	421	10,862	11,757	4,551	2,221	1,438	1,053	792	754	1,447	30	35,326
All Arms	England	329	8,965	9,975	4,035	2,027	1,343	983	744	785	1,586	40	30,812
	Scotland	54	1,101	1,167	402	207	157	145	121	151	397	1	3,903
	Ireland	107	1,508	1,368	575	347	225	198	180	170	386	4	5,068
	Total	490	11,574	12,510	5,012	2,581	1,725	1,326	1,045	1,106	2,369	45	39,783

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TABLE 97.—AGES of the MEN DISCHARGED from the MILITIA during 1891.

Arm.	Country.	Under 20 years of age.	20 and under 21 years.	21 and under 22 years.	22 and under 23 years.	23 and under 24 years.	24 and under 25 years.	25 and under 26 years.	26 and under 27 years.	27 and under 28 years.	28 and under 29 years.	29 and under 30 years.	30 and under 31 years.	31 and under 32 years.	32 and under 33 years.	33 and under 34 years.	34 and under 35 years.	35 and under 36 years.	36 and under 37 years.	37 and under 38 years.	38 and under 39 years.	39 and under 40 years.	40 years and upwards.	Total discharged.
Artillery	England	187	68	70	51	69	41	43	39	37	39	29	24	21	20	28	32	27	19	17	14	16	62	953
	Scotland	35	28	17	17	16	18	17	15	17	9	11	22	6	14	8	9	9	15	4	7	5	8	307
	Ireland	46	28	33	30	38	27	37	30	22	9	20	11	18	11	16	14	14	14	12	14	13	41	498
	Total	268	124	120	98	123	86	97	84	76	57	60	57	45	45	52	55	50	48	33	35	34	111	1,758
Engineers	England	82	34	31	19	14	22	15	23	7	29	5	9	13	6	4	4	4	3	3	—	1	13	341
Infantry	England	4,236	1,322	810	686	580	678	502	365	376	321	272	296	276	266	236	214	204	191	164	139	129	244	12,507
	Scotland	465	120	75	58	86	77	76	39	37	52	39	41	35	33	31	25	34	18	21	33	15	67	1,477
	Ireland	329	157	69	134	102	118	73	70	52	38	32	55	43	29	45	40	42	31	29	29	33	123	1,673
	Total	5,030	1,599	954	878	768	873	651	474	465	411	343	392	354	328	312	279	280	240	214	201	177	434	15,657
All Arms	England	4,505	1,424	911	756	663	741	560	427	420	389	306	329	310	292	268	250	235	213	184	153	146	319	13,801
	Scotland	500	148	92	75	102	95	93	54	54	61	50	63	41	47	39	34	43	33	25	40	20	75	1,784
	Ireland	375	185	102	164	140	145	110	100	74	47	52	66	61	40	61	54	56	45	41	43	46	164	2,171
	Total	5,380	1,757	1,105	995	905	981	763	581	548	497	408	458	412	379	368	338	334	291	250	236	212	558	17,756

N.B.—*See* note at page 111.

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TABLE 98.—NUMBER of COURTS-MARTIAL, and NUMBER of MEN of the MILITIA tried, during 1891.

Arm.	Country.	Number of men tried.				Number of trials.			
		Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Total.	General Courts-Martial.	District Courts-Martial.	Regimental Courts-Martial.	Total.
Artillery	England	16	1	—	17	—	8	10	18
	Scotland	8	—	—	8	—	1	7	8
	Ireland	14	—	—	14	—	7	7	14
	Total	38	1	—	39	—	16	24	40
Engineers	England	28	1	—	29	—	7	23	30
Infantry	England	170	1	1	172	—	86	89	175
	Scotland	77	2	—	79	—	14	67	81
	Ireland	24	—	—	24	—	8	16	24
	Total	271	3	1	275	—	108	172	280
All Arms	England	214	3	1	218	—	101	122	223
	Scotland	85	2	—	87	—	15	74	89
	Ireland	38	—	—	38	—	15	23	38
	Total	337	5	1	343	—	131	219	350

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TABLE 99.—OFFENCES for which the MEN of the MILITIA were tried by COURTS-MARTIAL during 1891, showing the SENTENCES AWARDED, and the PUNISHMENTS inflicted.

Arm.	Country.	Offences for which the men were tried.																		Sentences awarded.							Acquitted.	Punishments inflicted.						Pardoned.	Sentences wholly remitted.	Sentences quashed.
		Mutiny.	Offences in relation to Enlistment. Desertion.	Offences in relation to Enlistment. Fraudulent Enlistment.	Offences in relation to Enlistment. Embezzlement.	Offences in relation to Enlistment. Total.	Violence and Disobedience to Superiors.	Minor Insubordination and Neglect of Orders.	Quitting or Sleeping on Post.	Drunk on Duty.	Drunkenness.	Disgraceful Conduct.	Absence without leave.	Making away with Necessaries.	Miscellaneous.	Total of Offences.	Penal Servitude.	Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks.	Reduction and Imprisonment.	Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other Punishment.	Imprisonment with or without hard labour.	Total of Sentences awarded.	Acquitted.	Penal Servitude.	Reduction to a lower grade or to the Ranks.	Reduction and Imprisonment.	Stoppages, Fine or Forfeiture, without other Punishment.	Imprisonment with or without hard labour.	Total of Punishments inflicted.	Pardoned.	Sentences wholly remitted.	Sentences quashed.
Artillery	England	—	2	3	—	5	2	3	—	1	2	—	3	3	6	30	—	7	1	—	11	18	—	—	7	1	—	11	18	—	—	1
	Scotland	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	2	2	—	1	—	2	10	—	5	1	—	2	8	—	—	5	1	—	2	8	—	—	—
	Ireland	—	2	—	—	1	3	3	—	2	2	1	3	3	3	22	—	3	1	—	10	14	—	—	2	1	—	7	10	—	3	1
	Total	—	4	3	—	7	7	7	—	5	7	1	7	10	11	62	—	15	2	—	23	40	—	—	14	4	—	20	36	—	3	1
Engineers	England	—	2	—	1	5	5	4	2	2	2	—	9	5	4	36	—	9	4	—	17	30	—	—	9	4	—	17	30	—	—	—
	Total	—	2	—	1	5	5	4	2	2	2	—	9	5	4	36	—	9	4	—	17	30	—	—	9	4	—	17	30	—	—	—
Infantry	England	—	11	3	5	21	21	11	1	21	25	7	60	26	31	222	—	83	8	—	78	169	6	—	82	6	1	77	166	—	3	7
	Scotland	—	4	5	5	14	1	—	1	10	3	—	42	14	11	96	—	28	2	—	51	81	—	—	27	—	—	51	78	—	3	—
	Ireland	—	—	—	1	1	3	3	—	1	3	3	2	3	4	28	—	7	1	—	16	24	—	—	7	1	—	16	24	—	—	—
	Total	—	15	8	11	25	19	11	2	32	31	10	104	43	46	346	—	118	11	—	145	274	6	—	116	7	1	144	268	—	6	—
All Arms	England	—	15	6	6	28	28	18	3	24	30	7	72	38	41	288	—	99	12	—	106	217	6	—	98	10	1	105	214	—	3	1
	Scotland	—	4	5	5	14	3	1	1	12	5	—	43	14	13	106	—	33	3	—	53	89	—	—	32	1	—	53	86	—	3	—
	Ireland	—	2	—	1	3	6	11	—	3	5	4	5	6	7	50	—	10	2	—	26	38	—	—	9	2	—	23	34	—	3	1
	Total	—	21	11	12	37	37	30	4	39	40	11	120	58	61	444	—	142	17	—	185	344	6	—	139	13	1	182	334	—	9	1

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TABLE 100.—NUMBER of MEN of the MILITIA fined for DRUNKENNESS, and the NUMBER of FINES inflicted, also the NUMBER of MINOR PUNISHMENTS, including FINES for DRUNKENNESS, inflicted by COMMANDING OFFICERS during the year 1891.

Arm.	Country.	Number of Men fined for Drunkenness.							Number of Cases of Fines inflicted for Drunkenness.	Number of Cases of Minor Punishment.
		Once.	Twice.	Three times.	Four times.	Five times.	Six times.	Total of Men fined.		
Artillery	England -	194	18	5	—	—	—	217	245	1,700
	Scotland -	99	9	1	—	—	—	109	120	396
	Ireland -	154	28	1	—	1	—	184	218	926
	Total -	447	55	7	—	1	—	510	583	3,022
Engineers	England -	75	9	—	—	—	—	84	93	682
Infantry	England -	1,401	152	20	5	2	1	1,581	1,801	16,640
	Scotland -	312	41	11	—	—	—	364	427	2,196
	Ireland -	335	30	10	—	—	1	376	431	3,273
	Total -	2,048	223	41	5	2	2	2,321	2,659	22,109
All Arms	England -	1,670	179	25	5	2	1	1,882	2,139	19,022
	Scotland -	411	50	12	—	—	—	473	547	2,592
	Ireland -	489	58	11	—	1	1	560	649	4,199
	Total -	2,570	287	48	5	3	2	2,915	3,335	25,813

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TABLE 101.—SERVICES of the MEN who DESERTED and who were STRUCK OFF as ABSENTEES from the MILITIA during 1891.

Arm.	Country.	Under 1 year's service.	1 and under 2 years' service.	2 and under 3 years' service.	3 and under 4 years' service.	4 and under 5 years' service.	5 years' service and upwards.	Total Desertions.
Artillery	England -	249	118	48	43	55	81	594
	Scotland -	75	37	31	17	17	33	210
	Ireland -	100	122	71	57	37	87	474
	Total -	424	277	150	117	109	201	1,278
Engineers	England -	101	64	24	16	13	19	237
Infantry	England -	3,424	1,301	670	374	336	674	6,779
	Scotland -	582	203	83	49	62	178	1,157
	Ireland -	246	263	224	152	142	223	1,250
	Total -	4,252	1,767	977	575	540	1,075	9,186
All Arms	England -	3,774	1,483	742	433	404	774	7,610
	Scotland -	657	240	114	66	79	211	1,367
	Ireland -	346	385	295	209	179	310	1,724
	Total -	4,777	2,108	1,151	708	662	1,295	10,701

N.B.—*See* note at page 111.

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TABLE 102.—GENERAL STATE of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY at the dates of the annual inspections of the several corps during the year 1891.

	By Ranks.						By Countries.		
	Officers.	Permanent Staff Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Total all Ranks.	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
Present at inspection - - - -	592	230	786	190	7,087	8,885	8,084	801	8,885
Absent from inspection:									
With leave - - - -	93	3	102	6	1,097	1,301	1,130	171	1,301
Without leave - - -	4	—	11	1	307	323	317	6	323
Excused training for 1891 - -	9	3	23	4	162	201	201	—	201
Number enrolled - - -	698	236	922	201	8,653	10,710	9,732	978	10,710
Establishment - - - -	780	239	995	239	11,833	14,086	12,775	1,311	14,086
Wanting to complete - - -	82	3	73	38	3,180	3,376	3,043	333	3,376
Supernumeraries - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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TABLE 103.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY during 1891.

—	All Ranks (including Permanent Staff).		
	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
Enrolled strength on 1st January 1891.	9,825	1,001	10,826
Enrolled	1,469	119	1,588
Transfers from regular army (permanent staff).	28	3	31
Total increase	1,497	122	1,619
Dead	49	5	54
Dismissed for misconduct	10	1	11
Struck off for absence from training, &c.	96	14	110
Enlisted into regular army	15	—	15
Voluntarily quitted	1,354	105	1,459
Discharged (permanent staff)	22	2	24
Transferred to regular army (permanent staff).	3	1	4
Total decrease	1,549	128	1,677
Net Increase	—	—	—
Net Decrease	52	6	58
Enrolled strength on 1st January 1892.	9,773	995	10,768

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TABLE 104.—AGES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY on the 1st January 1892.

—	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
17 and under 18 years	59	2	61
18 „ 19 „	187	14	201
19 „ 20 „	381	42	423
20 „ 21 „	482	38	520
21 „ 22 „	598	53	651
22 „ 23 „	610	55	665
23 „ 24 „	670	68	738
24 „ 25 „	607	67	674
25 „ 26 „	590	66	656
26 „ 27 „	545	59	604
27 „ 28 „	494	46	540
28 „ 29 „	510	63	573
29 „ 30 „	514	59	573
30 „ 35 „	1,280	155	1,435
35 „ 40 „	984	93	1,077
40 „ 45 „	645	63	708
45 „ 50 „	378	32	410
50 years and upwards	239	20	259
Total	9,773	995	10,768

TABLE 105.—PAST SERVICES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY on the 1st January 1892.

—	English Regiments.	Scotch Regiments.	Total.
Under 1 year	1,420	97	1,517
1 and under 2 years	1,361	99	1,460
2 „ 3 „	1,270	84	1,354
3 „ 4 „	982	71	1,053
4 „ 5 „	777	86	863
5 „ 6 „	564	63	627
6 „ 7 „	514	56	570
7 „ 8 „	473	64	537
8 „ 9 „	379	66	445
9 „ 10 „	375	59	434
10 „ 15 „	685	91	776
15 „ 20 „	454	79	533
20 years and upwards	519	80	599
Total	9,773	995	10,768

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TABLE 106.—STATE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on the 1st November 1891, showing the numbers in each of the military districts of Great Britain.

District.	All Ranks.										
	Maximum authorised Establishment.	Efficients.	Non-efficients.	Total enrolled.	Proficients who have gained the special grant of 50*s*.			Officers who have passed in tactics.	Who have passed in signalling.		Present at annual inspection, including the Staff.
					Officers.	Sergeants.	Total.		Officers.	Non-Com. Officers.	
North-eastern - -	38,758	32,107	1,311	33,418	889	1,992	2,881	148	3	11	27,701
North-western - -	54,891	47,402	1,504	48,906	1,209	2,799	4,008	257	15	14	39,529
Eastern - -	15,154	11,847	469	12,316	355	742	1,097	50	5	6	10,490
Western - - -	28,075	23,450	826	24,276	630	1,364	1,994	80	2	11	19,343
Southern - -	10,319	8,666	320	8,986	224	541	765	47	3	9	7,348
Thames - - -	3,486	2,580	192	2,772	90	186	276	24	1	1	2,383
South-eastern - -	6,944	5,537	148	5,685	164	348	512	20	2	6	5,157
Home - - -	43,545	33,224	1,829	35,053	963	2,158	3,121	282	40	66	29,908
Woolwich - - -	1,753	1,136	67	1,203	36	97	133	8	—	1	1,103
North British - -	58,289	48,248	1,183	49,431	1,554	2,924	4,478	292	10	26	42,369
Total - -	261,214	214,197	7,849	222,046	6,114	13,151	19,265	1,208	81	151	185,331

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TABLE 107.—STATE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on the 1st November 1891, showing the different arms of the service.

Arm.	All Ranks.										
	Maximum authorised Establishment.	Efficients.	Non-efficients.	Total enrolled.	Proficients who have earned the special grant of 50s.			Officers who have passed in tactics.	Who have passed in signalling.		Present at annual inspection, including the Staff.
					Officers.	Sergeants.	Total.		Officers.	Non-Com. Officers.	
Light Horse - -	364	207	41	248	14	19	33	1	—	—	182
Artillery - -	47,877	39,481	1,596	41,077	1,224	2,531	3,755	200	7	7	35,606
Engineer* - - -	14,393	12,661	500	13,161	261	641	902	64	2	10	11,254
Mounted Rifle - -	61	1	44	45	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Infantry (Rifle) - -	197,002	160,574	5,588	166,162	4,578	9,868	14,446	942	72	131	137,050
Medical Staff Corps -	1,517	1,273	80	1,353	37	92	129	1	—	3	1,239
Total - -	261,214	214,197	7,849	222,046	6,114	13,151	19,265	1,208	81	151	185,331

* Including Submarine Miners.

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TABLE 108.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE between 1st November 1890 and 1st November 1891.

	Light Horse.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Mounted Rifles.	Infantry (Rifles).	Medical Staff Corps.	Total.
Number enrolled on 1st November 1890	249	41,422	*12,689	46	165,395	1,247	221,048
Enrolled: Recruits	32	8,220	3,032	—	33,230	377	44,891
Enrolled: Having previously served in regular army, militia, yeomanry, or volunteers	11	932	329	—	5,983	23	7,278
From regular army	—	68	11	—	172	5	256
Other causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total increase	43	9,220	3,372	—	39,385	405	52,425
Dead	2	170	54	—	579	3	808
Dismissed: Misconduct	—	58	38	—	358	5	459
Dismissed: Non-efficient	—	1,097	570	—	3,920	9	5,596
Joined regular forces	—	388	176	—	1,619	10	2,193
Struck off on attaining 50 years of age	—	34	14	—	127	—	175
Voluntarily quitted: Under 8 years	25	6,621	1,865	—	27,524	272	36,307
Voluntarily quitted: After 8 years	17	1,197	183	1	4,491	—	5,889
Other causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total decrease	44	9,565	2,900	1	38,618	299	51,427
Net: Increase	—	—	472	—	767	106	998
Net: Decrease	1	345	—	1	—	—	—
Number enrolled on 1st November 1891	248	41,077	*13,161	45	166,162	1,353	222,046

* Including Submarine Miners.

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TABLE 109.—AGES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on 1st November 1891.

Arm	Under 17 years.	17 to 18.	18 to 19.	19 to 20.	20 to 21.	21 to 22.	22 to 23.	23 to 24.	24 to 25.	25 to 26.	26 to 27.	27 to 28.	28 to 29.	29 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	Upwards of 50 years.	Total.
Light Horse -	—	1	2	16	14	12	13	27	16	18	13	16	18	13	30	13	20	3	3	248
Artillery - - -	269	1,922	3,263	3,775	3,715	3,334	2,704	2,365	2,146	1,862	1,684	1,580	1,474	1,429	4,010	2,702	1,505	927	411	41,077
Engineers* - -	39	561	1,183	1,455	1,459	1,270	1,048	847	712	564	470	463	349	352	1,081	637	350	241	80	13,161
Mounted Rifles - -	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	5	3	2	1	3	11	6	8	2	—	45
Infantry (Rifle) - -	1,041	7,183	14,487	16,002	15,842	13,899	11,588	9,763	8,398	7,322	6,651	5,952	5,597	5,549	14,546	9,700	6,307	4,218	2,117	166,162
Medical Staff Corps -	6	40	111	154	160	165	153	100	106	62	67	47	27	22	65	40	16	6	6	1,353
Total - -	1,355	9,707	19,046	21,402	21,190	18,680	15,506	13,102	11,382	9,833	8,888	8,060	7,466	7,368	19,743	13,098	8,206	5,397	2,617	222,046

TABLE 110.—PAST SERVICES of the ENROLLED MEMBERS of the VOLUNTEER FORCE on 1st November 1891.

Arm.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	5 to 6.	6 to 7.	7 to 8.	8 to 9.	9 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	Upwards of 20.	Total.
Light Horse - - -	32	36	21	23	35	14	14	5	8	17	12	17	14	248
Artillery - - - -	8,016	6,627	5,445	4,328	3,384	2,369	1,861	1,561	1,210	1,011	2,685	1,461	1,119	41,077
Engineers* - - -	2,862	2,360	2,102	1,882	1,082	562	437	373	279	209	606	221	186	13,161
Mounted Rifles - - -	—	2	—	2	4	14	2	1	2	2	7	8	1	45
Infantry (Rifle) - -	31,754	28,117	22,832	17,511	12,027	9,187	7,595	6,110	5,003	4,213	10,378	5,799	5,631	166,162
Medical Staff Corps - -	365	374	280	160	91	56	33	41	—	—	2	—	1	1,353
Total - - -	43,029	37,516	30,630	23,906	16,623	12,202	9,942	8,091	6,502	5,457	13,690	7,506	6,952	222,046

* Including Submarine Miners.

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TABLE 111.—EFFECTIVE STRENGTH of the ARMY RESERVE on the 1st January in each year from 1873 to 1892.

Year.	1st Class Reserve.		Reserve of 1867.		Reserve of 1859 (c.)	Enrolled Pensioners (d.) (e.)	Total.
	1870.	1882 (a.)	Class I.	Class II. (b.)			
1873	6,563	—	314	716	2,227	20,861	30,681
1874	7,376	—	243	667	2,112	20,648	31,046
1875	7,676	—	169	675	1,979	19,560	30,059
1876	5,991	—	60	706	1,866	19,425	28,048
1877	6,038	—	24	687	1,743	21,284	29,776
1878	11,304	—	24	667	1,620	21,473	35,088
1879	15,085	—	—	624	1,481	20,322	37,512
1880	16,651	—	—	570	1,393	20,058	38,672
1881	20,126	—	—	535	1,300	19,835	41,796
1882	24,085	—	—	500	1,192	(e)8,859	34,636
1883	16,479	—	—	475	1,112	8,137	26,203
1884	34,589	—	—	453	971	7,172	43,185
1885	39,037	249	—	419	806	6,513	47,024
1886	41,420	469	—	390	680	5,753	48,712
1887	45,994	864	—	318	471	4,906	52,553
1888	49,498	1,452	—	276	216	3,626	55,068
1889	47,301	3,040	—	246	123	2,485	53,195
1890	48,965	5,171	—	190	105	1,651	56,082
1891	51,237	6,996	—	83	87	813	59,216
1892	59,288	9,133	—	51	71	390	68,933

(a.) Established by Royal Warrant 21 March 1883 (Clause 62 of Army Circulars, 1883).

(b.) Enrolment suspended 23rd February 1869.

(c.) Enrolment suspended 18th August 1866.

(d.) Enrolled pensioners merged in the 2nd Class Army Reserve under the Army Reserve Regulations, dated 9th May 1868.

(e.) Enrolment of pensioners discontinued (Clause 68 of Army Circulars, 1881), and men over 50 years of age, as well as men under that age unfit for further service, struck off strength.

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TABLE 112.—AGES of the Men belonging to the Army Reserve on 1st January of each year from 1875 to 1892.

Date.	1st Class.						2nd Class (including Enrolled Pensioners).						General Total.
	Under 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not known.	Total.	Under 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	35 to 40 years.	Over 40 years.	Not known.	Total.	
1st January 1875 -		No returns compiled.				7,845	100	672	2,786	18,656	—	22,214	30,059
1st January 1876 -	2,796	1,725	1,433	97	—	6,051	70	494	3,049	18,384	—	21,997	28,048
1st January 1877 -	2,949	1,533	1,441	139	—	6,062	50	422	2,921	20,321	—	23,714	29,776
1st January 1878 -	7,042	2,213	1,755	318	—	11,328	102	576	3,074	20,008	—	23,760	35,088
1st January 1879 -	11,209	2,256	1,215	399	6	15,085	42	278	1,730	20,185	192	22,427	37,512
1st January 1880 -	12,526	2,585	1,054	486	—	16,651	21	257	2,355	19,388	—	22,021	38,672
1st January 1881 -	15,531	3,307	780	508	—	20,126	39	204	1,402	20,025	—	21,670	41,796
1st January 1882 -	17,386	5,443	638	618	—	24,085	20	83	575	9,873	—	10,551	34,636
1st January 1883 -	10,738	5,227	458	56	—	16,479	4	75	384	9,261	—	9,724	26,203
1st January 1884 -	26,137	7,938	473	41	—	34,589	1	40	203	8,352	—	8,596	43,185
1st January 1885 -	28,746	9,925	584	31	—	39,286	1	17	111	7,609	—	7,738	47,024
1st January 1886 -	29,729	11,397	728	35	—	41,889	2	12	81	6,728	—	6,823	48,712
1st January 1887 -	32,317	13,563	913	43	22	46,858	2	11	67	5,615	—	5,695	52,553
1st January 1888 -	32,803	16,728	1,342	77	—	50,950	—	5	51	4,062	—	4,118	55,068
1st January 1889 -	30,453	18,237	1,596	55	—	50,341	—	3	38	2,813	—	2,854	53,195
1st January 1890 -	31,177	20,432	2,463	61	3	54,136	—	3	16	1,575	352	1,946	56,082
1st January 1891 -	34,895	20,940	3,077	308	60	59,280	—	2	11	940	—	953	60,233
1st January 1892 -	43,039	22,273	2,951	158	—	68,421	—	—	7	505	—	512	68,933

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TABLE 113.—ENROLLED STRENGTH of the MILITIA at the date of the inspection of the several corps in each year from 1872 to 1891.

Years.	BY RANKS.							BY COUNTRIES.				BY ARMS.				
	Officers.	Permanent Staff.		Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	All Ranks.	English regiments.	Scotch regiments.	Irish regiments.	Total.	Artillery.	Engineers.	Infantry.	Rifles.	All Arms.
		Sergeants.	Drummers, &c.													
1872	3,371	3,412	1,195	1,250	3,567	103,285	116,080	79,026	11,936	25,118	116,080	13,638	—	83,176	19,266	116,080
1873	3,263	3,353	1,195	1,260	3,559	103,352	115,982	77,376	11,738	26,868	115,982	13,960	—	82,060	19,962	115,982
1874	3,298	3,413	1,195	2,030	4,218	98,525	112,679	73,723	11,982	26,974	112,679	13,878	—	78,977	19,824	112,679
1875	3,353	3,363	1,207	2,358	4,510	101,416	116,207	75,135	12,051	29,021	116,207	13,566	—	81,270	21,371	116,207
1876	3,445	3,296	1,209	2,301	4,457	100,217	114,925	75,743	11,996	27,186	114,925	13,532	—	80,673	20,720	114,925
1877	3,430	3,229	1,200	2,323	4,470	103,298	117,950	78,084	12,670	27,196	117,950	14,770	1,059	81,511	20,610	117,950
1878	3,513	3,312	1,176	1,783	3,907	92,185	105,876*	70,773	10,750	24,353	*105,876	12,453	994	73,879	18,550	*105,876
1879	3,380	3,373	1,186	2,238	4,702	112,870	127,749	83,346	14,122	30,281	127,749	16,264	1,057	88,087	22,341	127,749
1880	3,593	3,433	1,216	2,214	4,694	115,181	130,331	85,623	14,193	30,515	130,331	17,076	1,319	111,936		130,331
1881	3,653	3,434	1,201	1,928	4,612	113,040	127,868†	84,864	14,138	28,866†	127,868†	16,895	1,330	109,643		127,868†
1882	3,559	3,356	1,156	1,699	4,521	104,410	118,701†	78,850	13,244	26,607†	118,701†	18,062	1,229	99,410		118,701†
1883	3,245	3,431	1,164	1,716	4,645	102,441	116,642	76,860	13,109	26,673	116,642	17,272	1,176	98,194		116,642
1884	3,087	3,419	1,190	1,769	4,658	99,664	113,787	76,711	13,967	23,109	113,787	15,335	1,007	97,445		113,787
1885	3,174	3,446	1,236	1,948	4,732	104,820	119,356	81,212	15,033	23,111	119,356	15,569	965	102,822		119,356
1886	3,274	3,450	1,215	2,044	4,736	107,709	122,428	83,333	14,917	24,178	122,428	16,073	1,083	105,272		122,428
1887	3,354	3,445	1,199	2,116	4,684	106,613	121,411	82,111	14,636	24,664	121,411	16,290	1,339	103,782		121,411
1888	3,497	3,404	1,208	2,198	4,676	104,405	119,388	80,113	14,187	25,088	119,388	16,164	1,427	101,797		119,388
1889	3,557	3,359	1,215	2,252	4,598	101,522	116,494	78,009	13,745	24,740	116,494	15,973	1,686	98,835		116,494
1890	3,544	3,291	1,188	2,282	4,559	98,299	113,163	75,214	13,621	24,328	113,163	15,548	1,876	95,739		113,163
1891	3,466	3,088	1,197	2,267	4,619	97,564	112,201	74,248	13,822	24,131	112,201	15,762	2,053	94,386		112,201

The inspection of the Regiments of Militia, with the exception of 17, took place during the mobilisation of the Militia Reserve, the men of the Militia Reserve are consequently not included in the number enrolled at date of inspection.

† The Irish Militia were not inspected during 1881 and 1882, the strength has been taken on 1st July in each year.

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TABLE 114.—Enrolled strength of the Militia in Rank and File, and the Numbers Supernumerary to or wanting to complete the Establishment on the 1st of January of each year from 1873 to 1892.

Year.	Enrolled Strength.	Establishment.	Supernumeraries.	Wanting to complete.
1873 -	103,149	124,226	—	21,077
1874 - -	99,456	124,524	—	25,068
1875 - -	100,621	128,737	—	28,116
1876 - -	100,814	128,782	—	27,968
1877 - -	102,774	123,233	—	20,459
1878 - -	104,385	125,570	—	21,185
1879 - -	108,138	125,662	—	17,524
1880 - -	115,645	126,496	—	10,851
1881 - -	116,222	127,932	—	11,710
1882 - -	111,160	128,278	—	17,118
1883 - -	104,431	128,069	—	23,638
1884 - -	97,778	127,653	—	29,875
1885 - -	102,627	126,821	—	24,194
1886 - -	106,293	126,217	—	19,924
1887 - -	108,512	126,217	—	17,705
1888 - -	106,629	126,317	—	19,688
1889 - -	104,404	126,143	—	22,039
1890 - -	101,500	125,256	—	23,756
1891 - -	101,820	127,535	—	25,715
1892 - -	102,032	127,105	—	25,073

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TABLE 115.—AGES of the Men belonging to the Militia (including the Permanent Staff) and the Militia Reserve on 1st January of each year from 1875 to 1892.

Date.	Militia								Militia Reserve (included in foregoing numbers).						
	Under 17 years.	17 to 19 years.	19 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	Over 35 years.	Not reported.	Total.	Under 17 years.	17 to 19 years.	19 to 25 years.	25 to 30 years.	30 to 35 years.	Over 35 years.	Total.
1st Jan. 1875	1,900	16,817	46,172	22,691	11,107	8,427	—	107,114	—	783	14,076	8,031	3,439	884	27,213
1st Jan. 1876	1,769	17,235	46,255	21,705	11,272	8,099	—	106,335	1	669	13,609	7,928	3,385	844	26,436
1st Jan. 1877	1,790	19,388	44,418	22,741	11,952	8,315	—	108,604	—	394	13,629	7,333	3,194	669	25,219
1st Jan. 1878	1,970	19,851	45,099	23,024	11,842	8,261	—	110,047	—	569	13,273	7,823	3,537	640	25,842
1st Jan. 1879	1,876	19,474	48,429	24,292	11,784	9,247	—	115,102	—	108	9,510	6,818	3,195	677	20,308
1st Jan. 1880	1,739	22,492	50,019	25,909	12,402	9,781	—	122,342	—	184	11,492	8,706	3,857	881	25,120
1st Jan. 1881	1,690	19,582	54,866	24,468	12,334	9,985	—	122,925	—	161	12,829	9,208	4,182	1,021	27,401
1st Jan. 1882	1,204	15,226	52,983	24,815	12,772	10,495	—	117,495	—	14	12,041	9,508	4,479	1,232	27,274
1st Jan. 1883	1,374	14,594	48,273	23,766	12,094	10,440	—	110,541	—	—	12,060	9,216	4,329	1,024	26,629
1st Jan. 1884	881	16,495	43,394	21,339	12,043	9,789	—	103,941	—	—	13,765	9,929	5,049	836	29,579
1st Jan. 1885	899	18,994	44,189	21,421	13,109	10,361	—	108,973	—	—	13,776	10,465	5,599	973	30,813
1st Jan. 1886	977	19,836	45,872	22,225	13,681	10,191	—	112,782	—	—	12,866	10,343	5,897	1,022	30,128
1st Jan. 1887	967	19,360	45,496	23,043	14,923	11,278	3	115,070	—	4	12,030	10,406	6,767	1,252	30,459
1st Jan. 1888	932	18,967	44,028	22,354	15,132	11,909	1	113,323	—	—	11,425	10,644	7,248	1,180	30,497
1st Jan. 1889	943	17,669	42,572	20,927	16,144	12,786	—	111,041	—	—	10,974	10,315	7,723	1,497	30,509
1st Jan. 1890	917	18,566	39,419	19,957	16,046	13,235	—	108,140	—	—	10,558	10,057	7,942	1,604	30,161
1st Jan. 1891	994	19,466	38,356	18,738	15,340	13,137	—	106,031	—	—	10,584	9,891	8,146	1,624	30,245
1st Jan. 1892	956	20,723	37,363	18,605	15,398	13,112	—	106,157	—	—	10,744	9,877	7,955	1,594	30,170

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TABLE 116.—INCREASE and DECREASE of the Militia (exclusive of the Permanent Staff) between the Annual Trainings from 1872 to 1879, between the Inspections of 1879 and 1st January 1880, and during the years from 1880 to 1891.

Year	Number enrolled at Date of Inspection.	Increase.						Decrease.							Number enrolled at Date of Inspection.
		Recruits enlisted.	Re-enlisted men.	From Desertion.	Rejoined from Army Service or demobilisation.	Other causes.	Total.	Dead.	Discharged.	Deserted.	Struck off on mobilisation of Militia Reserve.	Joined Regular Army, R. Navy, and R. Marines.	Other causes.	Total.	
1872–3	108,102	27,259		504	—	636	28,399	542	14,228	7,548	—	4,324	1,688	28,330	108,171
1873–4	108,171	25,324		644	—	312	26,280	511	14,044	9,105	—	4,876	*2,736	31,272	103,179
1874–5	103,179	29,587		782	—	*2,081	32,450	536	13,501	8,549	—	5,134	†2,638	30,358	105,271
1875–6	105,271	31,337		807	—	†2,603	34,747	535	15,987	9,487	—	6,356	678	33,043	106,975
1876–7	106,975	40,821		816	—	1,048	42,685	472	16,852	10,670	—	10,151	1,424	39,569	110,091
1877–8	110,091	42,561		769	2,704	837	46,871	501	13,859	14,046	21,730	7,901	1,686	59,723	97,239
1878–9	97,239	34,032		943	18,925	675	54,575	463	10,831	13,188	—	7,103	419	32,004	119,810
Between Inspection 1879 and 1 January 1880.	119,810	13,762		239	—	96	14,097	124	1,470	9,698	—	4,775	25	16,092	1 Jan. 1880. 117,815
	On 1st Jan.														On 31st Dec.
1880	117,815	32,224		722	—	—	32,946	493	14,650	9,299	—	7,949	60	32,451	118,310
1881	118,310	24,965	519	610	—	—	26,094	505	14,778	7,530	—	8,528	110	31,451	112,953
1882	112,953	25,642	903	506	—	—	27,051	395	18,492	6,942	—	8,074	47	33,950	106,054
1883	106,054	33,764	1,760	607	—	—	36,131	511	18,078	11,330	—	12,771	55	42,745	99,440
1884	99,440	39,874	2,106	738	—	—	42,718	418	15,550	8,492	—	13,259	59	37,778	104,380
1885	104,380	40,657	2,652	825	—	—	44,134	417	14,113	10,924	—	14,821	43	40,318	108,196
1886	108,196	39,330	3,173	810	—	—	43,313	447	15,290	10,680	—	14,530	74	41,021	110,488
1887	110,488	33,597	3,039	1229‡	—	—	37,865	421	16,929	10,288	—	11,789	208	39,635	108,718
1888	108,718	30,456	2,607	749	—	—	33,812	408	15,943	8,795	—	10,702	149	35,997	106,533
1889	106,533	33,354	2,901	797	—	—	37,052	363	17,283	8,670	—	13,122	462	39,900	103,685
1890	103,685	35,634	2,513	925	—	—	39,072	448	18,307	8,903	—	13,107	172	40,937	101,820
1891	101,820	39,783	2,327	1,034	—	—	43,144	443	17,753	10,706	—	13,937	93	42,932	102,032

* Two Regiments were not inspected in 1874. † Four regiments were not inspected in 1875.
‡ Including 678 who received the Queen's pardon under General Order 102 of 1887.

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TABLE 117.—Return showing the Per-centage of Desertions from the Militia to the Recruits enrolled between the Trainings from 1872 to 1879, between the Training of 1879 and 1st January 1880, and during the years from 1880 to 1891.

Recruits enrolled between Trainings.		Deserters and Absentees struck off after Training.		Per-centage of Deserters and Absentees struck off to Recruits enrolled.
Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.	
1372–3 - -	27,259	1873 - -	9,105	33
1873–4 - -	25,324	1874 - -	8,549	34
1874–5 - -	29,587	1875 - -	9,487	35
1875–6 - -	31,337	1876 - -	10,670	34
1876–7 - -	40,821	1877 - -	14,046	34
1877–8 - -	42,561	1878 - -	13,188	31
1878–9 - -	34,032	1879 - -	9,698	28
Between Inspection 1879 and 1st January 1880 - -	13,762	—	—	—
Recruits enrolled during				
Year.	Number.			
1880 - -	32,224	1880 - -	9,238	29
1881 - -	25,484	1881 - -	7,530	29
1882 - -	26,545	1882 - -	6,942	26
1883 - -	35,524	1883 - -	11,330	32*
1884 - -	41,980	1884 - -	8,492	20
1885 - -	43,309	1885 - -	10,924	25
1886 - -	42,503	1886 - -	10,680	25
1887 - -	36,636	1887 - -	10,288	28
1888 - -	30,456	1888 - -	8,795	29
1889 - -	33,354	1889 - -	8,670	26
1890 - -	35,634	1890 - -	8,903	25
1891 - -	39,783	1891 - -	10,706	27

* This large per-centage of deserters and absentees struck off, and recruits enrolled, is due to the large number (4,411) struck off the strength of the Irish Militia; that force not having been assembled for training between 1880 and 1885.

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TABLE 118.—ENROLLED STRENGTH of the YEOMANRY CAVALRY at the dates of the annual inspections of the several corps in each year from 1874 to 1891.

Year.	By Ranks.				By Countries.		
	Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Trumpeters and Privates.	All Ranks.	English regiments.	Scotch regiments.	Total.
1874	843	1,674	10,298	12,815	12,149	666	12,815
1875	830	1,650	9,983	12,463	11,760	703	12,463
1876	833	1,635	9,625	12,093	11,081	1,012	12,093
1877	783	1,608	9,279	11,670	10,611	1,059	11,670
1878	788	1,864	9,828	12,480	11,385	1,095	12,480
1879	Not inspected in 1879.						
	Officers.	Permanent Staff Sergeants & Sergeants.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	All Ranks.		
1880, 1st January	772	1,115	198	9,925	12,010	10,928	1,082	12,010
1880, dates of inspections	758	1,214	197	9,429	11,598	10,526	1,072	11,598
1881, dates of inspections	697	1,135	187	8,598	10,617*	9,551*	1,066	10,617
1882, dates of inspections	716	1,240	203	9,014	11,173	10,135	1,038	11,173
1883, dates of inspections	737	1,242	207	9,018	11,204	10,156	1,048	11,204
1884, dates of inspections	726	1,238	200	9,324	11,488	10,437	1,051	11,488
1885, dates of inspections	712	1,291	226	9,361	11,590	10,536	1,054	11,590
1886, dates of inspections	706	1,293	207	9,293	11,499	10,416	1,083	11,499
1887, dates of inspections	718	1,296	199	9,054	11,267	10,202	1,065	11,267
1888, dates of inspections	704	1,296	193	8,768	10,961	9,908	1,053	10,961
1889, dates of inspections	698	1,172	194	8,646	10,710	9,684	1,026	10,710
1890, dates of inspections	708	1,172	197	8,620	10,697	9,694	1,003	10,697
1891, dates of inspections	725	1,144	194	8,705	10,768†	9,773†	995	10,768

* Two regiments not inspected in 1881.

† One Regiment not inspected in 1891, but enrolled strength of same on 1st August, included.

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TABLE 119.—STATE of the VOLUNTEER FORCE in each year from 1872 to 1891.

ALL RANKS.														
Year.	Maximum Establishment.	Supernumeraries authorised.	Efficient.	Non-efficient.	Number enrolled.	Extra-efficient.	Officers and Sergeants who have obtained certificates of proficiency.	Officers who have passed in Tactics.	Who have passed in Signalling.		Present at Inspection.	Per-centage of enrolled members who were		
									Officers.	Non-Com. Officers.		Efficient.	Extra-efficient. *	Present at Inspection.
1872	244,818	—	160,737	17,542	178,279	114,080	11,582	—	—	—	137,922	90·16	79·02	77·36
1873	240,067	—	153,216	18,721	171,937	—	12,911	—	—	—	135,115	89·11	—	78·58
1874	236,685	3,252	161,100	14,287	175,387	—	14,152	—	—	—	139,858	91·85	—	79·74
1875	238,261	3,333	168,709	12,371	181,080	—	14,869	—	—	—	145,753	93·16	—	80·49
1876	238,059	3,653	174,184	11,317	185,501	—	15,525	—	—	—	151,753	93·89	—	81·8
1877	240,120	4,956	182,810	10,216	193,026	—	16,306	—	—	—	159,378	94·7	—	82·56
1878	244,263	5,182	194,191	9,022	203,213	—	17,054	—	—	—	170,209	95·55	—	83·75
1879	245,185	5,421	197,485	8,780	206,265	—	17,411	—	—	—	174,646	95·75	—	84·67
1880	243,546	1,060	196,938	9,599	206,537	—	17,284	—	—	—	173,473	95·35	—	83·99
1881	245,429	610	200,162	8,146	208,308	—	17,479	—	—	—	175,651	96·08	—	84·32
1882	246,119	550	199,374	7,962	207,336	—	17,621	328	—	—	175,878	96·16	—	84·83
1883	247,842	—	202,428	6,937	209,365	—	17,897	485	—	—	179,739	96·69	—	85·85
1884	249,419	—	208,365	6,650	215,015	—	18,147	627	—	—	184,282	96·91	—	85·71
1885	250,967	—	218,207	5,805	224,012	—	18,368	728	—	—	194,838	97·42	—	86·98
1886	253,935	—	221,105	5,647	226,752	—	18,698	789	—	—	196,293	97·51	—	86·57
1887	255,478	—	221,491	6,547	228,038	—	18,921	904	4	—	197,269	97·12	—	86·5
1888	257,743	—	220,124	6,345	226,469	—	19,096	1,086	27	—	196,707	97·19	—	86·86
1889	259,583	—	216,999	7,022	224,021	—	19,133	1,226	48	81	191,007	96·87	—	85·26
1890	260,310	—	212,293	8,755	221,048	—	19,136	1,188	72	136	187,496	96·04	—	84·82
1891	261,214	—	214,197	7,849	222,046	—	19,265	1,208	81	151	185,331	96·47	—	83·47

* This column does not apply to Artillery Volunteers.

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